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IS GERMANY TO ASK PRESIDENT WILSON'S EFFORTS FOR PEACE?

Story in New York Post Says Ambassador Gerard is Bringing Request from Kaiser

SOURCE IS "TRUSTWORTHY"

American Envoy, It is Said, Will Lay Request Before the President Within Week

DOUBTED IN WASHINGTON

Bernstorff Declares He Knows the Report is Untrue

New York, Oct. 6.—The New York Evening Post today published a story saying that it has been learned from a trustworthy source that Ambassador Gerard, now on his way back from Germany, will lay before President Wilson a request that the President use his good offices in suing for peace with the Allies.

"Germany has definitely decided to apply to President Wilson," the article reads, "to use his good offices in suing for peace with the Allies. This was learned today from sources in a position to have absolutely trustworthy information on these matters.

"It is understood that Ambassador James W. Gerard, who is on his way over here, will lay the Kaiser's request before President Wilson within a week."

Washington, Oct. 6.—Ranking officials of the State Department said today they had no information to indicate that Ambassador Gerard is bringing home a request from Germany that the United States intercede to end the European war, and were inclined not to believe the story. Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, declared he knew positively that it was untrue.

While the department does not believe Mr. Gerard would accept so important a mission without notifying his government, it is realized that available means of communication between Washington and Berlin are very hazardous where delicate subjects are involved. The ambassador, it is felt, might be especially reluctant to attempt to communicate with the department regarding a matter as important as peace proposals, with the risk that his messages might fall into the hands of the Allies.

It was declared, on the other hand, that the Washington government would have knowledge of such a mission if authentic word of it had reached any one in the United States. The German ambassador would not discuss the story beyond saying it was untrue, but he was very emphatic in his declaration that he had information positively disproving it.

Officials at the State Department today said that only a specific request for mediation by one of the belligerents would bring about an effort by this country to effect European peace.

There is a growing conviction among some officials that a military peace brought about by almost direct negotiation between the belligerents will be the probable outcome of the war. Both groups of belligerents are thought to be opposed to negotiations by a third party.

GOVERNOR CRAIG AND PARTY GONE TO KING'S MOUNTAIN

Governor Stuart, of Virginia, to Speak at Celebration Today.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 6.—Governor Craig and his staff left this city late today for King's Mountain, N. C., to take part in the annual celebration tomorrow of the battle fought at that place during the War of the Revolution. Governor Stuart, of Virginia, who will make the principal address at the exercises, with his staff, will join the North Carolina party at Salisbury.

The King's Mountain celebration yearly draws hundreds of persons from North and South Carolina. The battle is looked upon as the turning point in the war, because it prevented the British General Ferguson from joining Cornwallis at Guilford Court House.

N. C. ENGINEER COMPANIES TO BE STATIONED AT EL PASO

Funston Also Announces Positions of Other Guardsmen.

Washington, Oct. 6.—In a message to the War Department today Major General Funston said that the North and South Carolina engineer companies, recently ordered to the border, would be stationed at El Paso. Of the Virginia troops Company A, engineers, a signal company and a field hospital company would be stationed at Fort Sam Houston, while the first squadron will go to Brownsville.

INDEPENDENTS TO HEAR MR. WILSON

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS WASHINGTON, D. C.

Delegation of Progressive Voters Will Also Attend Meeting Today at Shadow Lawn

PRESIDENT ON WAY EAST

Is Convinced He Has Chance of Carrying Several Middle Western States Hitherto Thought Certainly Republican.

Crest Line, Ohio, Oct. 6.—(On board President Wilson's Special).—President Wilson plans to make the second strictly political speech of his campaign in Shadow Lawn tomorrow afternoon before members of the Woodrow Wilson Independent League. Returning from Omaha, he will arrive at Long Branch at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning and at once begin preparations for receiving the more than 2,000 independents expected to attend by a group of Progressives, led by Hugh Gordon Miller, of New York. The President will seek to show that because of its legislative achievements of the last three years the Democratic party more than the Republican party deserves the support of the Progressive and Independent voters.

The President is returning to Shadow Lawn convinced that he has a good chance of carrying several Middle Western states hitherto thought certainly Republican.

Telegrams were received by the President today praising his selection of Major General Goetnals, George Rubiee and E. E. Clark as members of the new 8-hour board.

The run through Iowa, Illinois, Ohio and Indiana today was made with but few stops. Several times the President stepped to the rear platform of his private car but his schedule had not been announced in advance and the crowds were small.

Mr. Wilson was told tonight of published reports that Ambassador Gerard, now en route home from his post in Berlin, was bringing suggestion that the United States make a new movement for peace. The statement was authorized that the President knew of no such mission. Recently he said himself that Mr. Gerard was coming home only for a vacation.

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, has an engagement to see President Monday to present a letter from the German emperor on Polish relief.

WIFE WITH BABE IN ARMS IS SEARCHING FOR HUSBAND

Rocky Mount Man, Hunting Work, Mysteriously Disappears.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 6.—Fearing that some harm has befallen him, Mrs. H. L. King, 436 Florida avenue, Rocky Mount, N. C., came to police headquarters today with a three months' old baby in her arms and asked the police to help locate her husband, who she believes is somewhere in this city. She said that he left Rocky Mount a week ago in quest of work and that she had heard nothing from him since, although he kissed her good-bye, saying, "Sweetheart, I will be sure to let you hear from me in a day or two."

King is a machinist, 42 years old, and until recently was employed in the Atlantic Coast Line shops at Rocky Mount.

MRS. HUERTA AT EL PASO.

Places Wreath on Entrance to the Tomb of Her Late Husband.

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 6.—After coming here heavily veiled and with only a few knowing of her visit, Mrs. Victoriano Huerta, widow of General Huerta, once provisional president of Mexico, yesterday placed a wreath at the entrance to her husband's tomb in Concordia cemetery. She departed for Cuba today, according to her attorneys.

The utmost secrecy was maintained regarding Mrs. Huerta's visit. She made no formal claim to the $18,000 deposited here for those who, with her husband, were arrested in connection with the alleged neutrality violation conspiracy in June, 1915.

She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Elena Quiroz.

COTTON $82.50 PER BALE

Prices at Mobile Exceed Those During the Sully Boom.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 6—Spot cotton closed in Mobile today at 16.50, exceeding the prices obtaining during the Sully boom. Mobile was 57 points higher than New Orleans. At the local price a 500-pound bale is worth $82.50. This in addition to $24 for the seed makes each bale bring the farmer $106.50.

"FRECKLES" O'BRIEN DEAD

Former Bantam Weight Boxer Dies in Poverty at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 6.—Walter "Freckles" O'Brien, of New Orleans, who 20 years ago was champion bantam weight boxer of the South, died in poverty from tuberculosis at Charity Hospital here today.

BRITISH STEAMER IN COLLISION AT NORFOLK IS SUNK

Hawkhead Goes Down in Fifteen Minutes When Struck by Bay Liner City of Norfolk

FOG CAUSES THE ACCIDENT

Passenger Liner Also Was Badly Damaged—All Aboard the Vessels Were Rescued

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 6.—In a collision in the inner harbor shortly before 8 o'clock tonight, the British tramp steamer Hawkhead, said to have been at anchor, was sunk and the Bay liner City of Norfolk of the Chesapeake Steamship Company's line, was badly damaged. There was no loss of life, and so far as can be learned no one seriously injured.

The accident was due to a heavy fog hanging over the harbor. The City of Norfolk was outward bound, and carried in the neighborhood of one hundred passengers. The majority were at supper when the crash came. Great excitement prevailed for a few minutes, but was quickly quieted by the officer on the liner.

Fearing that the damage to the steamer was greater than could be ascertained, the passengers on the City of Norfolk were immediately transferred to the Old Dominion river steamer Pocahontas, where they remained onl yafew minutes when the majority were transferred to the outgoing Old Bay Line steamer for the continuation of the voyage up the bay. About fifteen of the passengers elected to return to Norfolk.

The Hawkhead sank about 15 minutes after the collision. She is in 30 feet of water. She sank stern first and the vessel's bow is still visible from the piers. The small boats from the City of Norfolk, the Pocahontas and other harbor boats in the vicinity rescued all on board the tramp.

The bow of the City of Norfolk was crushed for ten feet, but the bulkheads held well and she remained afloat. She is declared to be in no danger, although it will be necessary to send her to the ship yard. The Norfolk returned to her pier with the assistance of the company's tugs, rushed to the scene.

Except the statement that the harbor was enveloped in fog, officials have not given any cause for the collision.

ALL PASSENGERS ABOARD THE LINER TRANSFERRED

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 6.—President Key Compton, of the Chesapeake Steamship Company, said tonight that there were between 75 and 80 passengers on the City of Norfolk, and that all had been saved. He said Captain Thomas, of the City of Norfolk, had reported to him that in a dense fog the City of Norfolk rammed and sank the Hawkhead which was anchored out in the Norfolk channel.

Captain Thomas signalled the river steamer Pocahontas which took off all the passengers and in turn transferred them to the Florida, of the Old Bay Line, bound for Baltimore. There was no panic, Mr. Compton said, but the city of Norfolk had her bow bodly damaged. She has returned to Norfolk.

Burgaw, N. C., Oct. 6.—Pender Superior court adjourned for the term on Wednesday afternoon, finishing up all the business that was ready for adjustment, Judge Connor leaving for his home at Wilson that evening.

ASHEVILLE SUFFERS $300,000 FIRE LOSS

Tannery Finishing Plant and Big stock of Leather Burned

One of Greatest Fires in History of the Mountain Metropolis—Blaze Occurred Yesterday Morning Early Million Dollar Concern.

Asheville, N. C., Oct. 6.—One of the greatest fires in the history of Asheville occurred at 1 o'clock this morning when the entire finishing department of the Hans Rees Sons' tannery, with all the finishing machinery and an immense stock of leather, was totally destroyed by fire. The loss of the company is variously estimated at from $300,000 to a half million dollars.

The origin of the fire is unknown. It was discovered shortly before 1 o'clock, and the Asheville fire department responded to a hurry call. Nine lines of hose were laid to the fire, but the flames had gained such headway that all the efforts of the firemen were in vain. Fortunately there was no wind, or the entire plant would have been destroyed. The firemen's efforts were finally directed toward saving the balance of the plant, and in this they were successful.

The Hans Rees Sons' tannery is a million dollar corporation and one of

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See the Big Games as Played, at Star Office

On the big score board in front of The Morning Star office, this afternoon will be shown play by play the great baseball classic that is being staged on Braves' Field in Boston between the Red Sox and Robins.

One minute after Johnson or Hooper swings at one of Leonard's or Marquard's wicked shoots, the board will flash the news to the fans of Wilmington. Right here on Chestnut street you can see with the aid of The Star bulletins and a little imagination Zack Wheat waving that terrible bat of his, while "Babe" Ruth heaves one over with the speed of a catapult.

Here you can almost hear the roar that sweeps the field, when the Boston rooters break into their famous song of "Tessie" and hear the crashing echoes when the Brooklyn Royal Rooters return the challenge.

The first matinee will begin promptly at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The score board will be in front of the building while a stentorian voice will announce the results so as to keep the ardent fans from making a mistake in the results. For those who will be unable to attend the matinee, all telephone calls at either No. 61 or 31 will be promptly and courteously answered.

MAXWELL 'JUGGLES' SOME MORE FIGURES

Shows That Linney's Attack is Really Commendation of Democratic Policy

CONDEMNS REPUBLICAN'S

Policy Advocated by Linney Has Been Practiced for Years by Democratic Administrations, But Never by Republicans.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 6.—A. J. Maxwell, secretary to the Corporation Commission, as he expresses it, "juggles" a few more figures for the benefit of Frank Linney, Republican candidate for governor.

Mr. Maxwell repeats his presentation of the fact that, while Mr. Linney is canvassing the State on the issue of charging interest on average balances of public funds carried in the banks, he has shown that this policy was definitely adopted by the Democratic State administration in 1915 without any suggestion from the Republicans and that Mr. Linney's campaign is therefore in commendation of Democratic policy and in condemnation of the former policy of the Republican party in this State and of the present policy of the Republican party in several counties of the State which they now control and in none of which is interest charged on average balances.

Taking up the national phase of the subject, Mr. Maxwell "juggles" some figures and facts to Mr. Linney's undoing from this viewpoint. He says:

"In all the years the Republican party controlled the national administration no interest was charged on the millions of dollars carried in active accounts with banks all over the country and again in the large banks in the money centers. Interest at the rate of one per cent was charged on certain inactive accounts, which in all the years prior to 1912 only amounted to $810,623. In 1913 Secretary McAdoo, of the present administration, required the payment of 2 per cent interest on daily balances carried by the government in all banks in the country, and this order resulted in the collection, in the first three years of the Wilson administration of three and a half million dollars in interest. So that in every speech Mr. Linney is making he is glorifying the policy of the present State and National administrations and incidentally condemning the record of his own party in county, State and Nation. If Mr. Linney's friends believe he is right on this interest question they should vote for Woodrow Wilson, T. W. Bickett and Ben Lacy."

Women Taboo Prizes

The Raleigh Woman's Club has just cast a majority vote to discontinue card tournaments in which prizes are offered. There was an effort, also, to get a motion through discontinuing the practice of letting the use of the splendid new club building for dances, but the majority stoutly contended for the propriety of the dancing feature of the social life of the club. The club took in 34 new members at the same meeting in which the differences as to card playing and dancing arose. The club is just getting settled in its splendid new home on Hillsboro street. Mrs. Clarence Johnson is president of the club.

Rev. Francis Osborne, of Charlotte, is spending the week here helping along a local movement to raise $25,000 toward the quarter million dollar endowment fund for St. Mary's school among Episcopalians and other friends of the school in North and South Carolina. St. Mary's school being the parochial school for the two Carolinas. W. H. Williamson and Dr. Charles Lee Smith head two teams that are to carry forward a sort of whirlwind campaign for this fund the next few days.

Osteopaths in Session.

The North Carolina Osteopathic Society is holding a two days' session in the Senate chamber here with Dr. William E. Crutchfield, of Greensboro, presiding as president. There were special addresses today by Dr. J. M. Flem-

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RUMANIANS GIVEN DECISIVE DEFEAT IN TRANSYLVANIA

They are Driven Back by the Austrians and Germans Along a Front of Fifty Miles

RETREATING AT ONE POINT

Heavy Fighting Continues in Dobrudja—Russians Keeping Up Lemberg Battle

Turning against the Rumanians who had been advancing steadily in eastern Transylvania, Austro-Hungarian and German troops have defeated the invaders decisively along a fifty-mile front. North of Fogaras, at the juncture of the Homosod and Alt rivers, near Reps, the Rumanians are in retreat, pursued by the Teutonic troops.

The successful repulse of the invaders on the southern end of the line was at the hands of General Von Falkenhayn, former chief of the German general staff, and who only last week routed the Rumanians around Hermannstadt and drove them back to their own frontier. North of Reps the Austro-Hungarians re-captured positions and took more than 200 prisoners. Bucharest admits that the Rumanian troops in eastern Transylvania have been withdrawn before attacks by superior forces in the region of Fogaras.

In Dobrudja heavy fighting continues along the line of the Constanza-Bucharest railway with Bucharest recording progress for the Russians and Rumanians in the center and on their left wing.

While General Brussiloff apparently has ceased, at least for the moment, his attacks against the Austro-German lines in Volhynia, west of Lutsk, he continues southward his assaults with great intensity against the positions of the Teutonic allies guarding the approaches to Lemberg, capital of Galicia. Although the Russian attacks were held up northeast of Lemberg, those to the southeast of the capital, according to Petrograd, resulted in the taking of positions south of Brzezany and the capture of 500 prisoners. Berlin, however, declares that all Russian attacks in Galicia have been repulsed and that the Austro-Germans have taken 1,200 prisoners from the Russians.

In Macedonia the Entente Allies continue to advance. The British troops that crossed the river Struma northeast of Saloniki have taken the town of Nevolyn, which was evacuated by the defenders. South of Monastir, Serbia, violent fighting in the region of the Cerna river is reported by Paris.

The artillery continues active on the Somme front in France, according to the reports from the war offices of all the belligerents.

A delayed report from Constantinople tells of the rout of Russian troops northwest of Hamadan, Persia. Tribesmen in Ispahan, says Constantinople, have risen in revolt and driven the Russians from the city. Petrograd, on the other hand, reports progress for the Russians west and southwest of Trebizond, in Armenia.

ARTILLERY DUEL CONTINUES BETWEEN THE ANCRE AND SOMME

Berlin, Oct. 6.—The official statement of today, referring to the western front, follows:

"Army group of Prince Rupprecht: The artillery duel between the Ancre and the Somme continues stubbornly. In conjunction with three futile attacks made during the morning immediately east of Ancre, there developed lively hand grenade encounters which

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STEAMSHIP STRATHTAY SUNK BY A SUBMARINE?

This is Report of Officer and Men on French Torpedo Boat

British Steamer is Said to Have Had Americans Aboard—Crew Was Rescued by a French Torpedo Boat.

Paris, Oct. 6.—According to the commanding officer and men of a French torpedo boat ,the British steamship Strathtay, sunk on September 1, while on her way from Newport News for Glasgow was destroyed by a submarine. American citizens are said to have been on board the Strathtay.

Evidence given by all the men on the torpedo boat is that a submarine fired eight shells at the Strathtay in ten minutes and then sank her with a torpedo, after giving the crew 15 minutes to abandon the vessel. It is said the torpedo boat put the submarine to flight and rescued the crew.

The American embassy here has no knowledge of the identity of the American citizens said to have been aboard the Strathtay.

The Overseas News Agency of Berlin said on September 30 it was able to announce on competent authority that the Strathtay had not been attacked by a German submarine.

WITH FAIR WEATHER PREDICTED, WORLD'S SERIES OPENS TODAY

CECIL REPLIES TO SWEDISH PREMIER

Says England is Anxious to Restore Ancient Friendship and Trade to Old Footing

DEFENDS THE BLACK LIST

Expresses Surprise That Swedish Statesman Made No Allusion to American Protest Against German U-Boat Atrocities.

London, Oct. 6.—"We are anxious to restore to its old footing the ancient friendship and commercial intercourse between the two countries," declared Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade, today in an interview with the Associated Press, in which he replied to the recent statement of Premier Hammarksjold, of Sweden.

To the assertion of the Swedish premier that Great Britain is arbitrarily limiting the imports into Sweden, Lord Robert said that Great Britain always has been and now is ready to enter into fresh negotiations for a trade agreement with Sweden, in which case allowances would be made for all of Sweden's requirements which he admitted are greater now than before the war, owing to the development of her industries.

The minister of war trade declared incidentally that the British blacklist violates no rule or law of equity.

After saying that he was glad to read the premier's statement that Sweden's actions had been dictated solely by that kingdom's own necessaries and future welfare and not for any partisan reasons, Lord Robert said:

"We are fighting this war to vindicate the rights of all nations to develop themselves freely and unhindered by the menace of military aggression. We ask no favors from neutrals. But we do ask that they should not hinder our belligerent rights in the life and death struggle which we and our allies are waging.

"The prime minister states that he is opposed to any mediation by Sweden at present as it might compromise Germany and arouse the suspicion of the Allies.

"For Germany I am not in a position to speak, but for ourselves and our allies, I can say that we, who do not wish this war and who entered it reluctantly, are determined now that we are in it to obtain a victory which will insure lasting peace by showing the enemy that wars of aggression will not be allowed to succeed.

"The prime minister says that he is in harmony with the American protest against the blacklist, but I observe with some surprise that he makes no allusion to his attitude concerning the American protest against German submarine atrocities, surely a far graver matter for neutrals. The German submarine policy is in one aspect an outrage upon the commercial interests of neutral nations. Hundreds of neutral merchant vessels are now on the bottom of the seas, thousands of tons of cargo have been destroyed, and all this without any pretense of judicial inquiry and often for the most flimsy reasons.

"Peaceful citizens of all countries and of both sexes have been foully murdered at the bidding of German militarism. Others have been mutilated. Others have been exposed in open boats to the fury of the seas. It is strange that these matters should have been forgotten.

KNOTT GETS NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR OF FLORIDA

Petitions For Recount of the Primary Votes Are Refused.

Tilahassee, Fla., Oct. 6.—The State Supreme court here late today refused petitions of both W. V. Knott and Sidney J. Catts for reccount of primary returns in certain districts, leaving Knott with the certificate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Florida. The certificate was taken from Catts by the State canvassing board after a recent recount showed Knott 35 votes ahead throughout the state.

Catts, winner of the nomination on the first count, has declared his intention of running for governor in the November election, and claims to have endorsement of Prohibitionists. Republicans, usually a negligible factor in Florida state politics, have announced they will make active efforts this year to elect their gubernatorial nominee, George W. Allen.

KITCHIN SAYS DIFFERENCES WITH WILSON ARE FORGOTTEN

Says He is Impelled to Support President Enthusiastically.

Durham, N. C., Oct. 6.—Representative Claude Kitchin, chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means, declared in an address here tonight that he had "swallowed the differences cropping out between President Wilson and myself at the last Congress." "Every impulse in my being impels me to forget those differences and to support Woodrow Wilson and the Democratic party enthusiastically," he added.

Every Hotel in Boston Filled to Capacity; Hundreds From the South are There

BETTING FAVORS RED SOX

Hundreds of Men and Boys Were on Vigil Outside of Braves' Field Last Night

GAME TO START AT 2 P. M.

Both Teams are Confident of Taking First Contest

PROBABLE LINE-UP.

Brooklyn:	Boston:
Johnson, rf.	Foo...
Daubert, 1b.	J...
Myers, cf.	...aker, cf.
Wheat, lf.	Hoblitzell, 1b.
Cutshaw, 2b.	L...is, lf.
Mowrey, 3b.	G...rrigan, 2b.
Olson, ss.	Sc..., ss.
Meyers, c.	Carrigan, c.
Marquard, p.	Leonard, p.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6.—With calm confidence in the ability of its home team to come out victorious in the world's series baseball struggle, Boston awaits the opening of the 1916 classic tomorrow. The optimism and fighting spirit of the Brooklyn team, which arrived tonight, added interest to the impending struggle but the faith of the local fans in the Red Sox remained unshaken.

The betting tonight is at odds of 10 to 7, with little Brooklyn money in sight. While sanguine as to the outcome, the Boston enthusiasts expect the National League representatives to put up a determined struggle.

Every Hotel Crowded.

Every hotel in the city is tonight filled to capacity, the registers showing hundreds have come from the Mississippi Valley and the South to witness the games. The weather forecast for tomorrow is propitious.

Tonight hundreds of men and boys gathered outside the wall of Braves Field for an all night vigil.

As in past years, the gates leading to the unreserved sections of the stands and bleachers will be opened early tomorrow morning and it was apparent that these sections would be filled hours before the game begins at 2 p. m.

Seats All Sold.

With the exception of a few uncalled-for allotments, every reserved seat was sold out tonight, and these will be snapped up immediately after they are put on sale at the box office tomorrow morning.

So great has been the demand for seats that not many are offered for sale by speculators. President Lannin, of the Boston club, stated that he had been forced to buy back, at a premium, some tickets which he needed for friends who had applied and could not be refused at the last minute.

Speculators fortunate enough to secure even two seats reaped a profit of more than 100 per cent. upon their investment. Even this was a dangerous proceeding. Several were arrested during the afternoon for trafficking in the tickets at advanced prices.

Soon after Presidents Ban Johnson, of the American League, and John K. Tener, of the National League, arrived from New York today the positions of the umpires for the opening game were assigned and the announcement made that the luneid fly rule of the two leagues would be observed under American League regulations when the clubs were playing at the Boston park and under the National League code at Brooklyn park.

Teams in Good Shape.

All the Boston club players were out for practice during the afternoon at Braves Field, home of the local National League club, where the games in this city are to be played. Every player except Capt. Jack Barry and George Foster, who will not participate in the series, owing to injuries, reported in perfect condition. Their work showed that they were on edge.

The Brooklyn players and officials arrived this evening, accompanied by some of the newly formed "Brooklyn Boosters Club." Manager Robinson said every member of his team was in shape and expected to win. The invading club was met at the station by a large crowd of local fans who cheered the players.

Some Lively Wagering.

Some of the Brooklyn rooters were willing to back their club with currency and there were a few moments of lively wagering.

Boston adherents expect to see Rube Marquard go on the mound for the Superbas tomorrow and even money is the best offer that local supporters will wager even though Leonard is expected to be Manager Carrigan's choice for the initial battle.

If Leonard pitches, Outfielder Casey Stengel will not be in the Brooklyn line up.

The umpires will be stationed as follows: Connelly (American), behind the plate; O'Day (National League), on the bases; Dineen (American), left field; Quigley (National), right field.

League presidents and club owners expressed confidence in the ability of their teams to win the series but there was an evident under current of opinion

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IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

NUMBER OF SOUTHERN TEAMS IN THE NORTH

Carolina Will Meet Princeton on the Gridiron Today.

Virginia and Yale Elevens to Play at New Haven—Several Western Teams Also Will Play Eastern Colleges.

New York, Oct .6.—Six of the leading Southern university elevens will appear upon 'Varsity gridirons in this section tomorrow to test their prowess against Eastern teams. The University of Virginia will play Yale, over which it triumphed by a 10 to 0 score last year. Princeton will have North Carolina as an opponent.

West Virginia Wesleyan meets Washington and Jefferson. Western Maryland faces Fordham; the Army iwll meet Washington & Lee University and the Navy will be opposed by Georgetown. The West also will be represented, for Ohio University will oppose Syracuse in the stadium of the latter university.

Records of the invading Southern and Western elevens last year show great scoring power and strong defense, and as they have retained a majority of the 1915 veterans, it is expected that the home combinations will be forced to uncover something more than practice football if they are to hold their own or win from the visiting elevens.

Among the more important East vs. East games, Harvard will meet Tufts; Pennsylvania will play Franklin and Marshall; Colgate tackles Maine; Brown has Trinity as opponent; Columbia lines against Hamilton, and LaFayette plays Swarthmore. Last fall Georgetown defeated the Navy, while Brown and Trinity played a 0-0 tie.

Other games tomorrow include: Dartmouth vs. Lebanon Valley; Holy Cross vs. Bates; Penn State vs. Bucknell, and Williams vs. Union.

INTEREST IN SOUTH TURNS MOSTLY TO GAMES IN EAST

Atlanta, Oct. 28.—With leading teams of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association engaged in little more than practice games tomorrow, interest in Southern football turns largely toward the East, where six elevens from the South are scheduled to play. First in general interest is the contest between Virginia and Yale at New Haven. The other games ar North Carolina vs. Princeton, Georgetown vs. Navy, Washington and Lee vs. Army, Western Maryland vs. Fordham and West Virginia Wesleyan vs. Washington and Jefferson.

On Southern fields the contests between Georgia and Clemson at Anderson S. C., Vanderbilt and Transylvania at Nashville; Georgia Technology vs. Cumberland at Atlanta; Sewanee vs. Southwestern Presbyterians at Sewanee, are of interest mainly in getting a line on the prospective abilties of the stronger teams. Georgia last week won from Citadel by a single touchdown, while Clemson beat Furman by a goal from touchdown; Sewanee overwhelmed Cumberland, while Vanderbilt was beating the Presbyterians by a heavy score, and Georgia Tech swamped Mercer.

Auburn and South Carolina get into action for the first time in collegiate games. Auburn is to meet Howard at Birmingham, while South Carolina takes on Newberry College at Columbia.

WAKE FOREST FOOTBALL SQUAD HARD AT WORK ALL THE WEEK

(Special Star Correspondence).

Wake Forest, N. C., Oct. 6.—Coaches Billings and Howell have had the Wake Forest football squad hard at work every day this week in an effort to remedy the weak spots revealed in the Carolina game last Saturday. Beginning Monday afternoon and continuing every day since the coaches have been scrimmaging two elevens, directing their efforts along two lines, the strengthening of the line, and the producing of a drive in the backfield. The game with Guilford Saturday is expected to show the results of the week's strenuous practices.

Champion, star quarterback on the Raleigh high school eleven for the past four years, has been shifted from quarterback to half. His ability to advance with the ball at all times has caused the coach to make this change, for he can be called upon to carry the ball more from halfback than from quarterback. Replacing Champion at quarter is R. Pace. Pace is playing his third year of football with the Baptist eleven. He is a thorough student of the game, and should make the eleven an excellent field general.

WHITE SOX MAKE IT THREE STRAIGHT FROM THE CUBS

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The Americans made it three straight from their National League rivals today for the city championship by winning, 3 to 0. Jackson's batting won the game for Comiskey's men while Claude William's pitching baffled the Nationals.

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Americans	011 001 00*	3	8 0

Prendergast, McConnell and Wilson; Williams and Schalk.

VIRGINIA WILL MEET YALE TODAY AT NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 6.—Virginia's football squad, numbering 20 men, left here late tonight for New Haven, Conn., where tomorrow they meet Yale in the annual football game. Only four members of the eleven which last year defeated Yale 10 to 0 will be in the line-up tomorrow, and, as a number of new players are out with injuries the team's one hope is to hold Yale to a low score.

Halfback Gooch, brother of the famous quarterback, is back at play after being out with injuries and will start the game. The burden of the punting will fall on Halfback Carrington and Tackle War din the absence of Allan Thurman.

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(Advertisement).

WITH FAIR WEATHER PREDICTED, WORLD'S SERIES OPENS TODAY

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that the contest would be unusually close and hard fought.

Both Clubs Confident.

President Lannin, of the Boston Americans, said:

"Of course, I look to see our boys win, but I am deluding myself with the idea that the series will be a walk over for the home team. The Brooklyn players are a game bunch with plenty of skill and speed."

President Ebbets, of the Brooklyn Nationals, predicted a surprise for the Superbas' opponents. "Make no mistake," he said, "the Brooklyn club is going to upset some theories before the series is over."

B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, expressed great confidence in the ability of the Boston Americans to capture the series.

"Of course, I expect the Boston club to win," he said, "but I believe that the contest will be closer than appears to be the general impression. I would not be surprised to see the series go six or even seven games before Carrigan's players finally clinch the championship."

John K. Tener, president of the National League, refused to pick a winner.

"All I ask is for fair weather," he said, "and that the best team win after a series of games that will be an honor to the great National sport."

TRACK TEAM PRACTICE AT WAKE FOREST IS BEGINNING

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Oct. 6.—Over 30 candidates answered the first call for track practice issued by Captain Jordan this week, and this number is expected soon to be increased to fifty or more. Fall practice is being entered into by the candidates with an enthusiasm that points to one of the best track teams in the history of the college, next spring. An inter-class meet is planned to be held this fall and this should aid the team materially in developing and bringing out new material, as well as giving the old men a chance to limber up. The management is planning to arrange an elaborate schedule for next year. A meet with three or more State teams, and a three days' trip into Virginia will be included in the schedule.

MISS STIRLING TO MEET MISS CAVERLY FOR TITLE

Belmont, Mass., Oct. 6.—Miss Alexa Stirling, of Atlanta, woman champion of the South, and Miss Mildred Caverly, of Philadelphia, will meet tomorrow on the Belmont spring country club course for the National Woman's Golf championship.

In the semi-finals today Miss Stirling defeated Mrs. C. Auchincloss, of Pipping Rock, two up, ana Miss Caverly defeated Mrs. Thomas Hucknail, of Forest Hills, 7 and 6.

EMMA MAGOWAN, TROTTER, TAKES LEXINGTON STAKE

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 6.—Emma Magowan won the Lexington, the oldest two-year-old stake race in handy fashion, at the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association meeting here today, trotting the two heats in 2.07 1-2 and 2.07 3-4, the third fastest two-year-old race on record. Her best heat was only a half second slower than the best heat by The Real Lary in winning the futurity.

West Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 6.—A. & M. squad, accompanied by Coach Patterson and Graduate Manager Harrelson, left this afternoon at 4:05 for Charlotte, where the Techs will clash tomorrow with Davidson. Captain McDougall will play his first game at full-back, and Van Brocklin will be shifted to right half. "Vic" Rice will direct the play from quarter. Pierson will complete the back field. This quarter is the lightest one that has represented A. & M. for some time. The average weight is only 147 1-2 pounds.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Columbia Country Club, of Washington, today retained its team championship of the Middle Atlantic Golf Association by deefating the Chevy Chase Club, of Washington, 6 to 3, in the final round of play in the annual championship meet over the Chevy Chase course.

St. Louis, Oct. 6.—The St. Louis Americans and Nationals rested today but will play a double header tomorrow. If the Americans win both games it will be four straight for them, and will end the series.

Aberdeen, Miss., Oct. 6.—Mississippi college football team defeated the Mississippi A. & M. squad here today, 13 to 6, in a fast game.

FOURTEEN ARE INDICTED FOR RIOTING IN ATLANTA SUBURBS

Grand Jury to Meet Twice a Week During "Unsettled Conditions."

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 6.—Fourteen indictments in connection with rioting near Hapeville, a suburb, were returned late today by the Fulton county grand jury in its investigation of interference by strike sympathizers with operation of local and suburban street cars. The grand jury resolved to meet twice a week from now on or oftener "if necessary" during the present "unsettled conditions."

Cars continued to run tonight on reduced schedules except on a few lines where service has been virtually abandoned since shortly after the motormen and conductors went on strike last Saturday to enforce recognition of their newly formed union.

KNIT GOODS BARRED

England Has Extended Blockade, Consul Skinner Reports.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Consul General Skinner, at London, today notified the Department of Commerce that Great Britain has extended her embargo against importations into the United Kingdom to include cotton knit goods.

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Register early. Get your neighbor to do the same.

HAVE ENJOYABLE BANQUET

Election of Officers and Interesting Addresses Feature Annual Event of Local A. & M. Alumni.

Beneath the colors of their alma mater, the members of the New Hanover County A. & M. Association gathered last night in the spacious dining hall of the Graystone Inn, at Carolina Beach, on the occasion of their annual banquet. President J. L. Becton acted as toastmaster.

The affair was quite informal. The staid men of business reverted once more to their boyhood days, and many were the tales of college pranks that were told around the festive board. Two members of the class of 1893, the first class graduated from the college, were present as were several on whose diplomas the ink is scarcely dry.

Officers were elected as follows for the new year: President, J. L. Becton; Vice President, Edward P. Bailey, and Secretary, Louis Merritt. Mr. Becton was re-elected to the presidency.

Informal addresses were made by State Senator W. B. Cooper, member of the board of trustees; President J. L. Becton, Mr. Buxton White, of Raleigh, secretary of the State Alumni Association; Messrs. D. R. Foster, L. T. Yarboro, H. E. Bonitz, T. J. Hewett, Capt. Edward P. Bailey and Capt. Jas. B. Lynch.

Senator Cooper declared that the peopeople of the State had every reason to be proud of the manner in which A. & M. College is seeking new fields to mak eitself aggressively serviceable to the citizenship of North Carolina; and that is it was their own college, they ought to look after its interest in preference to those of any other college in the State.

He pointed out many new steps the college has taken through its agricultural news letter and extension work to help the farmers of North Carolina. He added that it was not only telling the farmers what to do, but also telling them how to do it. He asserted that he knew of no more important agency in the development of the great possibilities of the State. The speaker closed by referring to the fact that the legislature had always been very friendly to A. & M., and would doubtless continue to be so in the future.

Mr. Bonitz in referring to the ubiquity of the sons of A. & M., said: "Wherever you go you will always find A. & M. men and like a Ford automobile, wherever you see them they are going." Since my time, the student body has grown from 142 to several hundred." He closed his remarks with a plea to all loyal alumni to aid their alma mater in every way possible.

President Becton sketched the work of the local association during the past year, and made the suggestion that the members of the association in the future instead of contributing $1 to the athletic fund, pool their donations to the fund and use it for paying the tuition of a student from this section who gives promise of athletic ability.

Mr. Becton also suggested that the local association formulate a good yell for use at the Thanksgiving Day game. He announced that plans had been practically completed for the chartering of a special car to take up a big local delegation to the game between A. & M. and Washington & Lee on that date. He stated that the train going up would leave at 6:45 p. m.

Upon suggestion Mr. Bonitd, a committee was appointed consisting of Captain Lynch and Messrs. Foster and Bonitz to investigate the feasibility of establishing a scholarship at A. & M. for a student each year of the graduating class of the Wilmington High School.

Mr. Yarborough in referring to the great growth which the college has enjoyed since it was established, declared that the buildings have grown from one to 34, and the faculty from four to over 60.

Capt. Bailey referred to the comparative isolation of New Hanover county, and urged that the local alumni do everything possible to increase the number of students who go from this section to the college. Capt. Lynch made a plea for clean athletics.

Secretary White showed a very interesting collection of steropticon slides showing improvements at the college in the way of new buildings.

MR. GEORGE F. JORDAN DEAD

Well Known Civil War Veteran of Pender Passes Away.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., Oct. 6.—Mr. George F. Jordan, a Civil War veteran and well-known planter of Stag Park, died at his home near here last Tuesday. He was about 70 years of age, and had been in ill health for two or three years.

The funeral was held at Jordan's Chapel, on Wednesday, the simple service being preached by Rev. J. C. Whedbee, pastor of the Burgaw Methodist church. Mr. Jordan is survived by two daughters, Mrs. G. C. Hand and Mrs. W. C. Casteen.

It was announced by relatives on yesterday that Mr. Jordan left $400 to the Methodist Orphanage, $100 to Jordan's Chapel, and other bequests of a similar nature. Jordan's Chapel was built by him.

WILL RECOMMEND SALE

Delegates From Danish Isles Will go to Denmark.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Oct. 6.—The legislatures of the islands of St. Thomas and St. Croix, following instructions sent by the committee of the Danish parliament in Copenhagen, have designated delegates to go to Copenhagen and present the views of the islanders on the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. All are instructed to recommend the sale of the islands.

DEATH PENALTY FOR BANDITS

Decree is Prepared by the Mexican Government—Protest to Cuba.

Mexico City, Oct. 6.—The government today prepared a decree providing for the death penalty for robbers, bandits and those convicted of hold-ups. The foreign office announced that it had protested to Cuba against alleged anti-Mexican attacks in so-called governmental newspapers in Cuba.

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RALLY LARGELY ATTENDED

More Than 300 Persons Witnessed Exhibition and Heard Splendid Addresses on Scout Activities

More than 300 persons attended the first annual rally of the ten troops of Wilmington Boy Scouts at the Y. M. C. A. last night.

Mr. B. A. Merritt, president of the Local Council, Boy Scouts of America, delivered the address of welcome to the members of the various tropos, and explained briefly the growth of the local organization in membership and scouts activities. President Merritt stated that he was sincerely glad to have the opportunity to express his deep interest and sympathy not only in the organization but in the objects which the organization has. Mayor P. Q. Moore, who was scheduled to make an address, sent his regrets at being unable to attend.

The main address of the evening was made by Rev. Dr. John Jeter Hurt, pastor of the First Baptist church, who emphasized that the important rule in the world and which applied to all professions, was to have a definite purpose in life and "make good." He expressed his admiration for the principles upon which the scout laws are based, and pointed out that by adherence to these principles, the members of the organization could accomplish much for the good o fsociety. Continuing, he said:

"The real boy scout must first of all load up mentally. Secondly, he must take aim at something werth while, and thirdly, he must shoot.

"Unless he is loaded up, he cannot shoot and if he aims carelessly he will miss the mark, 'a successful life.' Furthermore he must shoot at the right time, and not let his opportunities slip by him."

Mr. H. E. Longley followed Dr. Hurt in a short address in which he gave a sketch of the work done by the scouts and their other activities at the summer camp on Lake Waccamaw.

He declared that this work and play combined was not only intensely interesting but splendid training for the "boy of today" who is to be the "man of tomorrow."

Following the addresses the members of Troop No. 10 gave an interpretation of the Scout Laws and Oath. This troop is headed by Mr. W. T. Murphy, scoutmaster. Next on the programme was a demonstration in signalling by two members of Troop No. 6, of which Mr. B. B. Cameron is scoutmaster, which was followed by a very interesting demonstration of first aid work, such as stretcher making, treatment of wounds and use of splints. The requirements of Scoutcraft were read by members of Troop No. 9, of which Rev. J. E. Reynolds is scoutmaster.

Following the above features, President Merritt called on the scouts to give their yell for Scout Commissioner Odis B. Hinnant, which they did with right good will.

Everybody then adjourned to the swimming pool in the basement, where they ranged themselves around the pool and watched the members of Troop No. 1 give demonstrations of life-saving, breaking various holds in the water, carrying a drowning man and resuscitation. At the conclusion of the above several coins were tossed into the pool and retrieved by the members of the troop.

Change in Train Schedule

Suburban line, Monday, October 9th. See official schedule elsewhere in today's paper.—advt.

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Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight on my guarantee.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

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Royal Scarlet Peas	22¢ per can
Del Monte Asp. Tips	22¢ per can
Rumford Baking Powder	22¢ per can
Bridal Corn	10¢ per can
Del Monte Peaches	22¢ per can
Pimentos	10¢ per can
Wesson Oil	23 and 33¢ per can
Sugar	7¢ pound
White House Coffee	32¢ per can

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Saturday, October 7th

Until 6 P. M.

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To All Owners And Drivers of Vehicles—

The following ordinance was adopted by the City Council, on the 4th day of October, 1916, to become effective November 5th, 1916:

"HEADLIGHT GLARE REGULATIONS: Headlights shall be so arranged that no portion of the beam of the reflected light when measured 75 feet or more ahead of the lamps, shall rise above 42 inches from the level surface on which the vehicle stands. Such headlights shall always give sufficient side illumination to indicate any person, vehicle or substantal object 10 feet to the side of said motor vehicle at a point 10 feet ahead of the lamps. The term 'beam of light' as used in the above provision, shall be construed as meaning the approximately parallel focalized rays gathered and projected by a reflector, lens or other device."

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City Clerk

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Effective Monday, September 11th, 1916, Southern Railway announces the present Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City Pullman Sleeping Car line will be shortened to Winston-Salem-Goldsboro. Pullman Sleeping Car line. This car will leave Winston-Salem at 8:50 P. M. same as at present, and arrive Goldsboro following morning, returning car will leave Goldsboro 10:35 P. M., arriving Winston-Salem following morning.

Present Greensboro-Raleigh Pullman Sleeping Car line will continue to operate.

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THEATRICAL

Another big song hit show went on at the Victoria yesterday, in which the American Girls company presented their third big hit of the week, "Two Jolly Tourists," a merry melange of mirth and merriment, musical comedy, vaudeville specialties and some of the niftiest singing and dancing numbers ever seen on the Victoria stage.

As usual, Earl Root and Ray Lewis, in the chief comedy roles, were the big hits of the show, pulling off many new gags in a way that sent everybody home full of merriment. Two cleverer comedy artists have not been seen in Wilmington in many a day, and they will be welcomed at any time they may play a return engagement in Wilmington.

There were some more big song hits on this show's programme, in fact more than at any previous performance they have put on. Ray Lewis, accompanied by chorus, scored a distinct hit with his presentation of that great coon shout song hit, "Pray for the Lights to Go Out," the great Broadway successor to "Ballin' the Jack," "My Own Iona," presented by Scottie Friedell and chorus, was another very acceptible number, while "Walking the Dog," by Scottie Friedell and chorus, called for continuous applause at every performance.

Miss Pauline Glennmar, the greatest fancy and acrobatic dancer seen in Wilmington in a long time, presented for the first time the famous "Spanish Dance Specialty" which received round after round of applause.

This great show will be presented for the last time today and tonight and no one should miss this last opportunity of seeing the American Girls Company.

Charlie Chaplin at Grand.

Charlie Chaplin in "One A. M.," at the Grand today is the greatest comedy proposition ever presented to the patrons of that theatre. The management makes this statement unreservedly, in view of the great sensation that has been created by this greatest of all Mutual Chaplin comedy everywhere it has bee shown, and the high manner in which every individual dramatic and screen critic who has viewed it has commended it.

In his latest comedy screen Chaplin does many stunts and pulls off many new ones, all of which is excruciatingly funny, but the chief novelty lies in the fact that during the entire two reels, barring the first few scenes, Chaplin has the entire screen to himself.

As the story goes he enters the bachelor apartment of a friend, after an evening of celebration in which water was not the principal liquid consumed. He finally gets in through the window, but everything in the room bobs up to meet him and better all exposed portions of his anatomy.

Many of the funniest antics ever employed by the eccentric comedian follow one another tumultuously during his escapade in the vacant flat, until the million dollar comedian, being unable to manipulate the folding bed, finally retires for the night in the bath tub with a bath mat for covering.

A rare two-reel dramatic feature—"The Power of the Cross," starring Virginia Kirtley and Eugenia Forde, will also be on today's great bill.

At the Bijou Today.

Those who witnessed that stirring two-reel episode of "The Girl From Frisco" series of two-reel photoplays at the Bijou last Monday will, most certainly be glad to hear that the latest episode, "A Battle in the Dark," will be presented there today. While this is a series, all along the same line, each two-reel episode tells a complete story, and it is a gripping story of romance and of the golden West, starring those great Kalem stars Marin Sais, Ollie Kirby and True Boardman in the leading roles.

In "A Battle in the Dark" which constitutes two reels of the most thrilling photoplay you have ever seen, Barbara and John Wallace lead a bitter struggle against encroaching Hindu labor that brings about a spectacular climax in a pitched battle between Hindus and ranchmen fought amidst a spectacular fire that is a revelation in screen spectacles. It is two whole reels of thrills such as you seldom see on the screen and througnout it all there is a beautiful and tender romance with those two screen stars, True Boardman and Marin Sais as the principals. Don't miss a single chapter of this great series of stories.

Other great features today include the latest Harry Meyrs and Rosemary Theby "Vim" comedy screen, "Artistic Atmosphere," funnier even than that one last Monday, full of beautiful South Florida scenery.

Then comes a great Vitagraph cartoon comedy "Dreamy Dud Has a Laugh on the Boss," the very latest thing in screen cartoon comedies.

Marguerite Clark at Royal.

Everyone who has seen Marguerite Clark in "Wildflower," "Mice and Men," and the other Famous Players-Paramount pictures in which she has played the mischievous little girl, will hail with delight the news that she is to star in an elaborate film adaptation of the popular story, "Molly Make-Believe," which plays a return date at the Royal today.

Only those who have witnessed the diminutive star's portrayal of one of these irresistible little scamps can possibly realize the infinite charm with which Miss Clark invests her interpretations. Molly is one of the most lovable creatures in all fiction, and Miss Clark is admirably suited by temperament and by artistic skill to visualize the petite bearer of good tidings whom Eleanor Hallowel Abbott so delightfully described in her popular book.

Ever since its first presentation at the Grand some weeks ago, requests for a return booking on "Molly Make-Believe" have been pouring in, and the Royal management took advantage of an open date today, to book this great feature at the Royal.

KINSTON ALSO IS DISCUSSING BUILDING A PACKING PLANT

Question Discussed by Directors of Chamber of Commerce.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 6.—The directors of the local chamber of commerce last night discussed a packing plant for the city. A campaign is expected to be started for the organization of a company for the enterprise. "It is a well-known fact," said Fred. L. Sutton, secretary of the chamber, "that the farmers of this section are producing more meat and feedstuffs than ever before, and that the number of animals in the country around Kinston is steadily increasing. The city is ideally located for such an enterprise as a packing house."

TAR HEELS TO TAKE PART IN RIFLE RANGE SHOOT

Will Have Expenses Paid on Trip to Jacksonville, Fla.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 6.—The rifle clubs that are organized in this State under the auspices of the United States War Department are to send teams to the National rifle range shoot at Jacksonville, Fla., October 11-24, their transportation and expenses to be provided by the War Department. The team just authorized by the National Guard headquarters here is as follows:

Gastonia—D. M. McConnell, H. M. Vansleen, R. H. Parker, T. A. Wilkins, L. L. Brinson, R. B. Wilson, C. E. Heard.

Charlotte—Chas. E. Bradshaw, T. C. Barrier, W. G. Cavara, C. C. Porter.

Lumberton—L. B. Townsend, K. B. Bower, W. G. Pittman.

Lincolnton—W. M. Hoke.

D. M. McConnell, of Gastonia, has been designated captain of the rifle club team. A National Guard team from this State is to go from the Mexican border. The team from the rifle clubs will leave for Jacksonville October 10.

TO HELP FARMERS ORGANIZE FOR SECURING FARM LOANS

Government Organizer's Services May Be Had Upon Request.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 6.—All farmers who are interested in organising a National Farm Loan Association for borrowing money to purchase or improve land under the provisions of the Federal Farm Loan Act may be interested to know that they may have the assistance of an organizer from the Division of Markets and Rural Organization upon application. The steps that need to be taken to borrow money will be explained and assistance rendered to help effect temporary organizations. Any group of farmers that wishes to hold a meeting should write to Wm. R. Camp, superintendent of Credit Unions, Division of Markets and Rural Organization, West Raleigh, N. C., at once as the meetings that can be held are limited and engagements will be made so as to cover as much territory as possible.

JUNIORS AT MOUNT OLIVE

Twenty-Sixth District Holds its Semi-Annual Session.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Mount Olive, N. C., Oct. 6.—The 26th District Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., met in its regular semi-annual session with Mount Olive Council, No. 102, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The address of welcome was delivered by Mr. L. W. Parker, a leading member of the Mount Olive Council, District Deputy Councillor J. E. Spears, of Goldsboro, responding. At this, the afternoon session, the regular business of the district meeting was taken up and received attention for an hour or two, after which adjournment was had until 8 o'clock, when a social session was held, refreshments being served. Immediately following this, the unfinished business of the meeting was taken up and disposed of and adjournment taken, to meet in Kinston next February.

The 26th district is composed of ten councils, namely, Goldsboro, Warsaw, Mints, Goshen, Pinkney, Falling Creek, Seven Springs, Kinston, Beulaville and Mount Olive, the total membership of these ten councils numbering about 1,500.

COTTON AND SEED HIGH

"Glutted" Market at Mount Olive Causes No Decline.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Mount Olive, N. C., Oct. 6.—Ordinarily a glutted market means a heavy drop in prices, but the Mount Olive cotton and cotton seed markets are an exception to this rule. The prices of both cotton and cotton seed remain high here—16 1-2 for cotton and 80 cents per bushel for seed—notwithstanding the fact that a sufficient number of cars and enough warehouse space to hold the cotton and seed cannot be secured rapidly enough. If the farmers persist in rushing the fleecy staple on the market as fast as they get it out, the situation threatens to become aggravated, as there seems to be a general shortage of cars everywhere now.

EAST CAROLINA MAY SURPASS CALIFORNIA IN NUT-GROWING

This Is Belief of Dr. H. O. Hyatt, Government "Co-operator."

(Special Star Correspondent.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 6.—Dr. H. O. Hyatt, of this city, a "co-operator" of the United States Department of Agriculture, assisting the office of foreign seed and plant introduction, believes Eastern North Carolina is not only going to surpass California as a nut-growing section, but will eventually surpass the western state. The pecan, the best of all nuts, flourishes best here, Dr. Hyatt says.

RIFLE RANGE TEAMS

Matches Begin on Range at Jacksonville Next Wednesday.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 6.—Rifle teams from Virginia, Georgia and New York arrived here today for the National and Southern rifle matches which open on the Florida range, October 11. Col. S. W. Miller, Tenth United States infantry, executive officer of the matches, accompanied by other officials, also arrived today from Washington. Coast artillery men who are to act as markers already are here.

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 6.—Gradually increasing prices marked the week on the local tobacco market. Breaks were larger than during the previous week, but still somewhat short of the big sales of September. Bad weather throughout the week hampered the market. On Tuesday a new record for prices was set for the season, it is believed. Larger breaks are looked for during the coming week. Much of the better quality weed remains to be sold, tobacconists say.

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

Doing good is unselfishness in action. —SELECTED.

By pursuing infamous methods to gain fame, a man sometimes becomes defamed.

There is money in eggs, but if you haven't got the eggs the money isn't in them for you.

When South Carolina editors refer to "puttin' 'em on," onr first guess is that they mean sox.

Say naught of your town that you would not say to a man who had come to invest $1,000,000 in it.

Oh, King Cotton, we are not guilty of lese majeste. All that we ever have said about you is that folks made you a cheap skate by going the whole hog on you and nothing else.

Teddy made bold to tell us what he would have done, but the Rough Rider wasted his breath. Everybody knew all along what could surely be expected of Teddy. Never tell people what they knew beforehand, already.

A man who wants to do the best he can for himself and family won't take any chances on it if he votes the Democratic ticket. If he votes the other way it will be equal to buying a pig in a poke, without looking over the animal.

If we can except South Carolina and Georgia, we never saw any state in which there is more politics than is to be found in North Carolina. Certain people are even discussing possibilities for senator and governor four years from now.

Yes, a man has a right to vote as he pleases—provided he pleases to vote for the best interest of his state and country as he sees it, after sincerely making the best effort he can to ascertain what is for the best interest of his country and state.

Judge Hughes should have known that he would have had all sorts of bad luck by trying to pry the lady-like South loose from the saddle. It's about like hitting mother to swat Dixie. The price of cotton has taken sides with the South and Wilson, and the fleecy staple proved its loyalty by jumping over 16 cents.

The trouble with lots of men is that they are depending on their town. The fact of the business is their town has to depend on them. Verily, a town can be no more enterprising, no more progressive, nor more thrifty, no more important and no more famous than its people make it. The vitality and character of a town can be no more nor less than the vitality and character of its people.

Oh, yes, most anybody will lend you money on cotton. Cotton feels very grateful to President Wilson for keeping its head up in 1914 so that it could hold its own in 1916. He was abused by Republicans for favoring Southern farmers and Southern interests, because former tariff beneficiaries wanted cheap cotton. We hardly suppose that Southerners who want to do one good turn for another would even think of voting for a single Republican.

Revenue authorities in Atlanta recently have destroyed a number of local industries, together with certain manufactured products too tedious to mention. A few days ago near the great terminal station in "the New York of the South," officers raided a brick building, confiscated 100 gallons of Cohutta corn whiskey and laid violent hands upon two copper stills of 50 gallons capacity each per day. The manufacturing plant was closed up in the same way that several such industries have been ruthlessly suppressed in the downtown district.

TO EXHIBIT A GREAT CAROLINA POSSIBILITY

The Star a few days ago contained the announcement that at the State Fair at Raeigh, October 16-20, there would be an exhibition of wood pulp and pulp woods as evidence of the paper manufacturing possibilities in North Carolina. Mr. H. C. Crocker, of Pennsylvania, who has been in Wilmington some time, investigating the forest capabilities for supplying a pulp mill, and demonstrating the pulp of our long leaf pine and gum woods, is now preparing the exhibit for the fair. It will consist of splendid pulp samples obtained from our Cape Fear forest and swamp timber products. The exhibit, in itself, will be small, but it will be enough to show the superior kind of pulp made from native woods that exist hereabouts in great abundance.

Th eManufacturers Record of Octo- United States is a huge industry and no doubt many people will be surprised that it is America's second greatest industry. According to Mr. Thomas J. Kenan, secretary of the Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry, paper making comes next to steel in the value of the product coming from the factories of this country. That is surprising, but the facts were known in Mr. Kenan's address at the second National Exposition of Chemical Industries, held in New York on the 25th of September last.

The manufacturers Record of October 5 contains the address of Mr. Kenan, and in it he makes the astonishing statement that the total invested capital devoted to the manufacture of wood pulp and paper is $500,000,000, while the annual value of the manufactured products of pulp and paper is $380,000,000.

The development of the industry has been on a colossal scale, yet the uses of paper and pulp in the publishing, art and commercial traces is not equal to the demand. The timber supply in Canada and the North is diminishing while the chemicals used in paper making are scare and high because of the war in Europe. Germany was depended upon for the chemicals, but they cannot be imported in quantities to serve the great American industry dependent upon them. However, American chemists are now turning their attention to the chemicals so necessary in the industry. In his address Mr. Kenan said:

"Before closing, attention may be called to a promising development in the Southern States through the application of chemistry and chemical engineering to the recovery of paper fibers from waste wood. We are now importing a special grade of pulp and the so-called Kraft paper made from it to the amount of some 60,000 tons annually. Immense quantities of yellow pine waste lumber are available in Florida, Georgia, Louisiana and other Southern states for the manufacture of pulp by the 'sulphate process, which yields the strong brown wrapping paper called Kraft. It is estimated that the waste from yellow pine lumbering operations alone is sufficient for the manufacture of 10,000 tons of this paper a day. A beginning in the development of this industry has been made in the South, which is expected to make us economically independent of other countries, so far as this class of paper is concerned."

The South has been wasting annually millions of dollars worth of raw material for paper making, and it is gratifying that the chemical exposition in New York served to call attention to the paper making possibilities in the South. Not only wrapping paper but a fine grade of print and book paper can be manufactured from the high-grade yellow pine timber of the Cape Fear region.

THE OTHER FELLOW'S PROSPERITY

We heard a Sampson county farmer seriously endeavor to explain that he is a Republican because he is anxious about prosperity for American industries. It is all a joke. In spite of anxiety away off here in North Carolina, however, American industries are running day and night and are more prosperous than American agriculture.

We have just finished reading in the American Magazine a marvelous and entertaining account of a great American industry whose president gets a salary of more than a million and a half a year—more than the earnings of all the farmers in Sampson county, although our toiling farmers are helping to pay his enormous salary. He is a steel magnate, and the magazine writer was boastfully telling about what a man of great organizing and constructive genius he is. He points out in a gripping way why that one man actually earns and is entitled to a salary of more than $1,000,000, for he once refused such a trivial salary as that. He figured on getting more and he knows a way to get it. The magazne tells us that the magnate had a constructive idea about it, so he talked it over with the great financiers of New York and showed them how he could earn millions of dollars for them and pocket a few for himself. His idea was capitalized and it turned the trick.

An idea like that put into effect in the open today would land a Sampson county farmer or a North Carolina editor in the penitentiary. It was a plan now known in law as "conspiracy in restraint of trade." At that time an excessive Republican tariff protected the iron and steel industry from foreign competition. However, home competition was exceedingly provoking. The plan was to get rid of all that worrisome home competition, so all the iron and steel interests were let into the plan and they combined into one great concern under one master management. A monopoly, therefore, was established, and as there was neither foreign nor home competition to pester with, the concern fixed its own prices, regardless of all competition whatsoever.

We don't know how many farmers in Sampson county like to help to support that kind of monopolistic system, but every body who buys iron or steel products, from a gimlet to a sawmill, has come across with some of the tariff and price tax of the great money-making trust which can afford to pay a genius more than a million plunks a year. Sampson county people have paid out a stack of money in tariff prices of various kinds, but if paying out taxes has ever made Sampson people rich we never have heard of it. If it has made Sampson a great manufacturing county, we would like to know it.

We do know, however, that the people of Sampson have been coming across with support for a huge Pennsylvania industry which has one steel mill that employs 60,000 people who spend all their money in Pennsylvania. Some of it is Sampson county money, but when it leaves Sampson her people never behold their scads again. Therefore, we should say that hard working, honest farmers in Sampson county are very mildly interested in "American industries" organized under combination and trust plans which exact tribute of a certain amount on every single dollar that is made in Sampson and every single dollar that is produced in Sampson. Really, we have often wondered why some Sampson county farmers were so anxious about so-called "prosperity" for American industries, for the only worry that tariff beneficiaries have ever had over farmers is to figure on them as assets in the way of buyers of nails, trace chains, plows, threshing machines, gimlets, pocket knives and what not.

Republican spellers have persuaded many good, honest, hard working farmers in Sampson to "vote for the Republican party and prosperity," but they lug in the prosperity as bait. Nevertheless, Sampson farmers think they are voting mostly for prosperity, whereas if they had gotten all they voted for, Sampson county would be nearly as prosperous as the one man whose salary a year amounts to more than all the salaries in several counties like Sampson. The fortunate magnate to whom he refer has refused $60,000,000 for his holdings in his company, and if Sampson county's taxable wealth is listed at something like $6,000,000, he could buy ten counties like it. Gee! Sampson farmers need not lose a wink of sleep worrying about prosperity for American industries. Indeed, they get it while Sampson county farmers are sleeping the sleep of the just.

We don't think it is necessary for any of us to outrun a horse to get to the polls to vote tariff graft for American industries whose stocks and bonds are of more concern to Wall Street than all the farmers in America. "The gods help those who help themselves," and Americaa industries are on the job helping themselves to beat the band.

We ought to be on the job looking out for North Carolina instead of American industries. They don't have to hand around the hat, but they can go out and buy themselves a president if they need him in their business. We never make it a rule to worry over the other fellow's "Big Business."

DANGER OF PANICS IN THE FUTURE

In the presidential campaigns of the past, especially when the Republicans were in power, their most effective campaign argument, perhaps, has been the cry with which they scared the voters into believing that the election of a Democratic president would surely be followed by a panic. They sought to make the voters believe that the promised panic would be caused by a Democratic administration.

They knew this was not true, but they did know, many of them, that their chief backers, the Wall Street crowd and the "Big Business" beneficiaries of a high protective tariff, held the purse strings of the nation and could bring about a panic, if they so desired, as soon as a Democratic president was elected. Many voters frankly admitted that their reason for voting the Republican ticket was that they feared that the election of a Democratic president would so displease Wall Street that a panic would be turned loose upon the country forthwith, in revenge.

The panic scare failed in the election of 1912 because of the revolt in the Republican ranks, and the result was the election of Wilson. The promise for a panic was out and Wall Street was ready to make good, but the Wilson administration took the "bull by the horns" and showed Wall Street for the first time in its history that the government of the United States is more powerful than any small group of financiers. Moreover, the Federal Reserve banking system was framed and put into operation, taking the purse strings of the nation out of the hands of Wall Street and moving the money center of the country from Wall Street to Washington, thus making panics impossible.

The only danger of a panic in the future lies in the return of the Republicans to power, the repeal by them of the Reserve banking law and the restoration to Wall Street of its former power to turn loose a panic on the country at will. The Republican party is under obligation to Wall Street and "Big Business" and, if by the aid of these interests, that party can possibly regain control of affairs at Washington, we may expect that Wall Street will have its sway again and have the purse strings of the nation restored to its hands, so that it henceforth, as in the past, can hold the "panic hound" in leash ready to be turned loose upon the country, thus scaring the voters into electing succeeding Republican administrations in order to prevent panics.

Do the people want Wall Street returned to power and the money center moved back from Washington to New York? They'll answer November 7.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Of course, some Republicans had to tell a lie on the State Democratic administration. That was to have been expected.—Durham Herald (Ind.)

Rooting for the town is commendable, but right now Greensboro could probably swap a gross of cheer leaders for a handful of line plungers.—Greensboro News.

Funny Man, that Charles E-vasion Hughes. Here he comes along and says that the 8-hour day is all right, but that he don't like the way that it was fixed up by the President and Congress. As bad as the woman who was restored to health, but objected to the color of the paper in which the druggist wrapped up the medicine that was sent to her.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Mr. Bruce Craven contributes to The Observer an article on the Torrens law and its bearing in connection with the operations of the Rural Credits law. It appears from what Mr. Craven says that the government will insist on Torrens titles as a basis for loans and if this rule obtains there will have to be general resort to the Torrens titles by intending borrowers. Mr. Craven goes into the matter quite fully, acting in behalf of the revision committee of the State Bar Association. At the same time Mr. Craven sets the lawyers, as a whole, right in the matter of their attitude toward the Torrens law. He outlines some proposed improvements to the law that will be of interest to the people. Mr. Craven's contribution is calculated to stir up more interest in this law than has been manifested since the day it became law in North Carolina.—Charlotte Observer.

Mr. Hughes has gone far beyond even his usual recklessness of declamation in saying "The whole Democratic legislative accomplishment must be wiped off the statute books for the good of the country." Now if this statement embodies a sincere conviction it must also be taken as a promise that Mr. Hughes, if elected President, will attempt to secure the repeal of all the distinctly "administration" measures which Congress has adopted since the advent of the Democratic party to power under the leadership of Mr. Wilson. Then Mr. Hughes ought not to hesitate at specifying which of those laws (many of them having been supported by a majority of the Republican congressmen voting) he would be impelled by concern for the good of the country to wipe off the statute books. At least he should be prepared and willing to answer "Yes" or "No" when asked about those measures one by one, "Will you, if elected to the Presidency, with a Republican Congress at your back, recommend and urge that this or the other cited act of Congress shall be expunged, recalled, undone?" If he refuses to so answer he will stand self-convicted of empty vaporing, of stuffing the public ear with frothy phrases having no real meaning or honest purpose behind them.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

WILSON HAPPENINGS

Cider Case Goes to Supreme Court—Mr. Winstead Improved.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 6.—The case against Mr. J. T. Williams for violating the prohibition law by selling cider, after a short consideration before Judge O. H. Allen, has been sent, by mutual consent, to the Supreme Court for final judgment.

The outcome of the ruling is watched with interest, as Mr. Williams is one of Wilson's most prominent business men. It was in the latter part of the summer that the trouble first arose, when Mayor Killette fined the defendant $50 for selling cider. He claimed that he was serving as agent for a large apple grower, who manufactures cider from the apples grown on his own plantation.

The condition of Officer Ernest Winstead, who was run over last Sunday night and very badly broken up, is very much improved. He expects to be removed from the hospital in a few weeks.

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Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian church, East Wilmington, Rev. W. H. Koelling, pastor—Sabbath school in the morning at 10:30. Preaching at 11 Junior Christian Endeavor in the evening at 4:30.

Bethany Presbyterian Church.—Services tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3:30. Christian Endeavor service at 8. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

Delgado Presbyterian church—Services tomorrow evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 10:15 a. m. Mid-week prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30. Visitors will meet with a hearty welcome at the services.

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor.—Services tomorrow evening at 7:45, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 3:30. Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:45. Visitors are heartily welcomed at the services.

Wadesboro, Oct. 6.—16.85 was the price paid for middling cotton on this market today. Up to October 1st there had been marketed only 27.73 bales here and it is estimated by the weigher that half of this season's crop has found the market.

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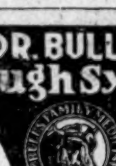

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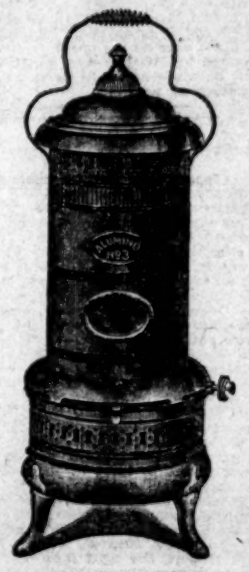

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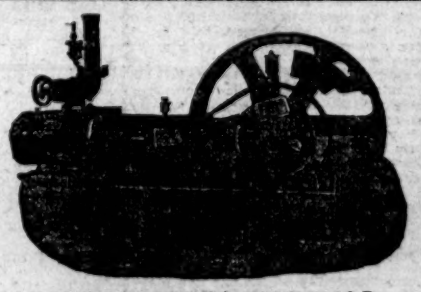

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First Acknowledgment Will be Made Tomorrow Morning

Plan Here Part of Nation-Wide Effort to Let the People Rule—Local Committees Will Get Busy Today. Amounts May be Sent In.

The first public acknowledgement of contributions to the Woodrow Wilson campaign fund will be made tomorrow morning and the executive and canvassing committees of the Woodrow Wilson Club earnestly hope that as many Democrats as possible will signify their purpose of helping today in order that the amounts may be among those first announced.

Since Chairman McGirt has named the various sub-committees from the committee of one hundred and fifty a number of the chairmen have gone actively to work and still further work will be done today. Many of the members of the teams who have been busy during the week will have a Saturday afternoon "off" and they are expected to get busy. Already quite a creditable sum is in hand and assurances of further contributions have come from many quarters. It is hoped to realize on these in the very near future. Any contributions may be sent to Chairman McGirt or to The Star and these will be acknowledged promptly and turned at once over to Mr. Hugh MacRae, treasurer of the State Finance Committee, a receipt later being sent out from the Democratic National Committee.

Fifteen thousand towns and cities all over the United States have been organized as Wilmington has been, the plan having been originated by Wilbur W. Marsh, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, who believes that at least half a million Americans will be willing to give, according to their means to provide the necessary funds for the legitimate purposes of the campaign.

The formation of these committees has received the sanction of President Wilson and of all the men who are active in the conduct of the Democratic campaign, including Chairman Vance C. McCormick, of the Democratic National Committe, and Henry Morgenthou, chairman of the Campaign Finance Committee.

There is no limit to the size of individual contributions under the plan originated by Mr. Marsh. But it was put in operation mainly to reach the thousands and thousands of Wilson's supporters who are not able to give much, but who are willing and anxious to contribute according to their means. It was said yesterday that some arrangement of this kind had become essential if a campaign fund ample enough to meet legitimate demands was to be obtained because of President Wilson's aversion to accept campaign contributions from men identified with "high finance" or "big business." In the campaign four years ago he directed that a $10,000 contribution from one of the leading men in the Harvester Trust should be returned.

But the desire to become independent of campaign contributions from undesired sources was not the only reason for launching the Marsh plan. Mr. Marsh believed, he says, that by popularizing the fund and giving a large number of persons a proprietary interest in the Wilson campaign, a sentiment would be created which would be reflected in the vote on election day.

Mr. Marsh was asked recently if he expected to make public his list of campaign contributions, as they came in. Under a plan inaugurated by Mr. Morgenthau, who was chairman of the Finance Committee in the Wilson campaign four years ago, this was done, and the Republicans were forced to follow suit. The question of whether campaign contributions should be made public in advance of the election was raised by William J. Bryan when he was a candidate for president for the third time in 1908. He ordered the Democratic campaign contributions published, and challenged the Republicans to publish their list. The Republicans in that year did not respond.

"So far as I am concerned," Mr. Marsh said, "I am willing to waive all rights to secrecy. The books here are open, and any one interested is welcome to inspect them at any time."

Under a recent Federal law it is provided that in a presidential campaign a list of all contributions received must be published not later than 15 days before election, with supplementary lists every sixth day from then until election day.

NEGRO GETS THREE MONTHS ON ROADS FOR RETAILING

Deputy J. R. Kennedy Is Declared Not Guilty of Assault Charge.

The chief sufferer at yesterday morning's session of the Recorder's court was Willie Nixon, colored, who was given three months on the county roads on the charge of selling a half pint of whiskey in default of a fine of $25 and costs.

Mr. J. R. Kennedy, deputy collector of internal revenue, was declared not guilty of the charge of having assaulted A. L. Jones with a deadly weapon. This case was tried by Recorder Empie several weeks ago, and decision reserved. From the evidence in the case it appeared that Kennedy in his capacity as a Federal officer on the night the assault is alleged to have occurred was looking for persons who were reported to be bringing whiskey into the city.

According to Jones' testimony the officer threw a gun in his face about 1 o'clock in the morning while he was returning to his home from the Union station and said, "Where is that boat?" On the witness stand, Deputy Kennedy explained that he had been informed that a man by the name of Jones was bringing whiskey in the city by boat.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: G. W. Westbrook and wife to W. S. Bernard and wife, for $500, five acres of land on the southwest side of the Wrightsville turnpike, adjoining the land of G. W. Westbrook; Stacey Adams to H. W. Konig and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the west side of Seventh, 75 feet north of Howard, 25 by 150 feet in size; C. D. Weeks and wife to Lizzie A. Higgins, for $100 and other considerations, lot at Wrightsville Beach; L. O. Ellis and wife to R. B. Humphrey, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Winter Park Gardens.

CRANMER MAKES FINE ADDRESS AT SEAGATE

Brunswick Man Appeals to Voters to Endorse Democratic Record

Well Attended and Enthusiastic Rally Is Held in School House—Chairman Thomas E. Cooper Presides Over Meeting.

E. H. Cranmer, Esq., of Southport, Democratic nominee for the State Senate from Brunswick and New Hanover counties, delivered the chief address last night at a well-attended and enthusiastic rally of the voters and a large number of ladies of Seagate and vicinity, held in the Seagate school building, and in an able manner presented the record of the Democrats both in State and nation, appealing to the voters to show their appreciation of this fine record by turning out in large numbers on election day.

Mr. Thos. E. Cooper, chairman of the County Democratic Committee, presided over the meeting and in a short address told of the great efforts which the committee is making to see that every voter is registered and a majority of 3,000 rolled up against the Republican party on election day in New Hanover county. He pointed out that it was desired to secure as large a registration and vote as possible, as the county's representation in the State Convention can be increased thereby.

L. Clayton Grant, Esq., nominee from New Hanover county to the State Legislature, and Claude C. Cashwell, Esq., secretary of the Democratic Executive committee, also made short addresses.

Mr. Cranmer, who was introduced by J. A. McNorton, Esq., was given a hearty welcome, and both before and after his address quite a large number came forward to greet and chat with the speaker.

In referring to the President's Mexican policy, the speaker said: "What right have I as a citizen to go upon a man's premises and trespass on his property? With this same idea in view President Wilson has with calm deliberation debated with himself whether the United States government would be justified or not in intervening and causing bloodshed in a war against a weak neighboring country."

"The President has tried to apply the Golden Rule in dealing with a neighboring country in the same way that the honest citizen would apply it in dealing with his neighbors. In his diplomatic negotiations, when a crisis has faced him, he has not hesitated to go to Him in prayer for guidance, neither has he hesitated to read his Bible and lead his cabinet in prayer.

Speaking of the Rural Credit law, he stated that hte Democrats are entitled to the credit for the passage of the bill. He added that a number of Republicans have stated to him that they would pass a better Rural Credit bill should they resume power, and his reply to them was "Why haven't you done it before?"

In commenting upon the Federal Reserve Act, the speaker stated that it was the greatest single piece of legislation passed by any Congress in the past 100 years; that under its provisions, currency running up into the billions could be mobilized and sent to any part of the United States, thus averting panics and placing them forever in the annals of past history.

He pointed out that under this act $50,000,000 was sent to the Southern States in order to help the farmer make a better disposition of his cotton. With great emphasis he then asked, "What Republican president ever sent such a sum into the Southern States to make a cotton crop?"

Mr. Cranmer declared the income Tax passed by a Democratic Congress provided for a more equitable distribution of the burdens of taxation, and caused the wealthier classes to pay their just proportion of the expenses of the common government.

In referring to the great territorial expansion of the United States the speaker declared that every foot of territory added to the boundaries of the country had been acquired under Democratic administrations except Alaska and Porto Rico.

In discussing the fine record made by the Democrats in North Carolina during the past 16 years, he said it was not necessary to touch upon the negro problem and that he would not do so. He referred to the enviable record made by Charles B. Aycock while governor of the State, particularly in the field of education.

The speaker also referred in glowing terms to the great record made by Robert B. Glenn while governor in his fight for prohibition. Governor Locke Craig was referred to by the speaker as the "Good Roads" Governor, and his work in encouraging good roads building was highly praised by the speaker. In conclusion the speaker asked the voters present to show their appreciation of this fine record made by the Democrats in both State and nation by rolling up a big majority for their nominees in this State and and in the nation.

In closing his remarks Mr. Cranmer urged the people not to forget the four proposed amendments to the State Constitution which they would have the opportunity of adopting or rejecting on election day. He expressed himself as heartily in favor of the four amendments, and offered reasons based on mature thought for his position.

TO HAVE FINE EXHIBIT

Mr. W. H. Crocker Preparing Splendid Display of Wood Pulp.

Mr. W. H. Crocker, who has for many years been interested in the wood pulp industry an dwho is just now devoting his energies to apprising the people of North Carolina of the splendid resources that the forests afford in developing this industry, is busy preparing an exhibit of wood pulp for the State Fair in Raleigh which will no doubt attract widespread attention, for it will be something at once unique and at the same time profitable.

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Vote for Wilson, Vote for Bickett; Be American! Vote the ticket.

RESIDENCE AND LOT PURCHASED BY CHURCH

Members of Calvary Baptist Plan For Extension Of Building

Present Pastorium Sold to Mr. A. G. Ray and the Property Adjoining the Church Is Bought From Mr. Bernice G. Moore.

The first step towards enlarging the church by the erection of a large and commodious Sunday school room and for building a pastorium adjoining the church was taken yesterday by Calvary Baptist church in the purchase from Mr. Bernice C. Moore of the residence at No. 720 North Fourth street, which adjoins the present property on the south, the consideration being $6,000.

At the same time this deal was completed, the trustees of the church also sold to Mr. A. G. Ray, the present pastorium at No. 717 North Fifth street, the consideration in the last transfer being $2,500. Mr. Ray will occupy this as a residence while Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of Calvary church, will move into the newly purchased residence.

The property purchased by the church has a frontage on Fourth street of 66 feet, which added to the 66 frontage of the present church lot will make a total of 132 feet and extends back a distance of 165 feet. Later it is planned to removed the present residence in order to make room for the Sunday school annex and the pastorium. The church lot is 66 by 66 feet in size and with the additional lot there will be sufficient room for both the annex and the pastorium.

The negotiations for the additional property have been in progress for some time. The congregation authorized its purchase and the deal was closed by the trustees of the church. They are Messrs. D. L. Gore, W. G. T. Keen and Z. E. Murrell. Claude C. Cashwell, Esq., chairman and the other members of the finance committe eacted in an advisory capacity.

Mr. Bernice C. Moore formerly lived in the residence which was sold by him yesterday. Last year he moved to Hopewell, Va., where he is now in business. This property was formerly owned by Col. George L. Morton, now of Atlanta, Ga. It is a valuable piece of real estate and is ideally located for the purpose to which it will be devoted by the church.

The plans for development of the property by the church are at present in a formative stage, but steps will be taken immediately for extending the church building and also for remodeling the old building.

It is planned to have the Sunday school annex two stories in height, the second floor being used for a concert auditorium while the lower floor will be used for class rooms for the Sunday school room.

TIDEWATER POWER COMPANY WILL HAVE REPRESENTATIVE

Mr. R. D. Voshall Will Attend National Electric Railway Meeting.

The Tidewater Power Company will be represented at the convention of the American Electric Railway Association, which is to be held at Atlantic City, October 9th to 13th, by Mr. R. D. Voshall, master mechanic.

This year's convention, at which an attendance of between 4,000 and 5,000 is expected, will be of unusual interest from the fact that the Thursday session will be devoted to an historical review of the industry. The discussion on the physical development will be led by Frank J. Sprague, who was responsible for the installation of the first commercially successful trolley line at Richomnd, in 1888. A prominent New York banker will lead the discussion on the financial development.

Maj. Gen. Leonard S. Wood, U. S. A., is to deliver an address on "Electric Railways and Preparedness" as part of the movement to interest the electric railway men in the plans to co-operate with the War Department in the matter of defense. Ivy L. Lee, who was responsible for the embarkation of Pennsylvania Railroad in a campaign of publicity, and P. J. Kealy, president of the Kansas City Railways Company, will deliver addresses.

Meetings of the association's affiliated organizations will be held during the same week. An exhibit of railway apparatus and supplies, occupying some 60,000 square feet of floor space on Young's Million Dollar Pier, will be one of the features.

L. & N. AND A. C. L.

Earnings of First Named May Have Influence on Latter—Mr. Elliott.

The financial page of yesterday's Baltimore Sun has the following of local interest:

"It was pointed out yesterday that the large earnings of the Louisville & Nashville may have had an influence on the recent rise in the stock of the Atlantic Coast Line. These roads are closely allied, the Coast Line holds a large amount of the Louisville & Nashville stock in its treasury and hence will benefit from its growth in business and from any advantage that may accrue to the stock. The Louisville & Nashville had gross earnings last year of $60,817,000, an increase of $8,711,000 over 1915. The net income was $14,039,000, a gain of $9,088,000. The surplus was equivalent to 19.38 per cent on the $72,000,000 of capital, as compared with 6.76 per cent a year ago.

"George R. Elliott, of Wilmington, N. C., has been elected a director to succeed the late W. J. Dickinson, of New York."

NEARLY THREE THOUSAND NOW

Enrollment in City Schools Continues to Increase Daily.

While the total enrollment for the city schools, including Sunset Park and Delgado, lacked 50 pupils of reaching the 3,000 mark the first week, Supt. John J. Blair is confident that next week will see considerably more than 3,000 enrolled. Reports from the teachers indicate that this will be a splendid year for the schools as the children are going to work with an enthusiasm that is indeed praiseworthy while the teachers as a whole are working earnestly and energetically.

The total enrollment for the different schools during the first week numbered 2,950 as follows: High School, 640; Union, 709; Hemenway, 601; William Hooper, 563; Cornelius Harnett, 300; Isaac Bear, 245; Delgado, 108; Sunset Park, 24.

MANY NEW MEMBERS ADDED DURING YEAR

Wilmington Presbytery Doubles Average for General Assembly

Ministers All Make Fine Reports at Fall Session—Rev. W. W. Morton, of Chadbourn, Elected Moderator.

That the average number of members added to the church for each pastor in the Wilmington Presbytery during the past year was more than twice that for any other Presbytery in the General Assembly in the Southern Presbyterian church was one of the most gratifying features of the reports made at the fall session which closed yesterday at Seven Springs.

Rev. W. W. Morton, of Chadbourn, was elected moderator for the ensuing year to succeed Dr. Joseph Akerman, who has moved to Macon, Ga., and Rev. W. H. Goodman, of Clarkton, and Mr. S. A. Boney, of Wallace, were elected clerks. The Presbytery adjourned yesterday afternoon to meet again on April 10th of next year in the new Presbyterian church at Faison, which is now in process of construction.

The Presbytery convened on Wednesday afternoon in the Presbyterian church at Seven Springs with all of the clerical members present but unfortunately there was not a large representation of the laity. However, the sessions were very helpful and profitable. The visitors were entertained in a most hospitable manner by the people of the community.

The sermon at the opening session was preached by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, of Wilmington. On Wednesday night a Sunday School Institute was held in which a number of ministers participated. The session on Thursday were devoted to hearing reports from 5' churches composing the Presbytery.

On Thursday night Rev. Dr. J. W. Purcell, of Faison, preached a strong sermon on the subject of future punishment. Following the sermon there was a discussion of the home mission work, led by Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, of Wilmington, chairman of the Home Mission work, and Rev. J. S. Crowley, of Wilmington, made a report on building week.

The Presbyterial sermon on Sabbath observance was preached yesterday morning by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, which was a powerful exposition of the scriptural teaching on this important subject. Dr. McClure also made a report of the foreign mission work.

The reports of the ministers showed that during the past year, 26 accessions to the church membership has been made for each pastor, exclusive of the members enrolled as a result of the Chapman-Alexander meetings in Wilmington, while the average for the General Assembly is 11 members.

Those attending from Wilmington included Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, Rev. J. S. Crowley, Rev. W. M. Baker, Rev. Andrew J. Howell and Wr. W. M. Cumming. They returned home last night.

HOW TO AVOID STREET CAR ACCIDENTS IS EXPLAINED

Tidewater Power Company Urges Motorists to Co-Operate With Motormen.

With a view to lessening the accidents because of collisions that are avoidable, the Tidewater Power Company has sent letters to more than 500 owners of automobiles in Wilmington, requesting their co-operation. "Look, before you cross the track" is the main thing stressed because it is believed that an observance of this rule will prevent many of the accidents.

Following is a copy of the letter that have been sent out:

"Let us all co-operate to lessen the possibility of accidents. Most of the accidents that occur in this city, due to collision between horse-drawn vehicles, automobiles and street cars are avoidable.

"Street cars cannot turn out of their way to avoid collision—and if you don't go on the track there will be no collision, but if you must go on—Look before you cross the track!

"Accidents personally incident to such collision would rarely occur, if when starting a vehicle that has been standing near the curb, out on or across the tracks, you—Look before you cross the track!

"If whеu driving alongside of the tracks you have always in mind the car that may be behind you, and you—Look before you cross the track!

"If when a trolley car ahead of you has stepped to discharge its passengers, and you wish to drive to the left of the car, you—Look before you cross the track!

"We are quite sure that no one will deliberately cause an accident, or place themselves in a position of danger, and, therefore, if you will co-operate by observing our request, and—Look before you cross the track—you will very materially assist in minimizing avoidable accidents in Wilmington.

"Very truly yours,
"TIDEWATER POWER CO.
"P. S.—Safety First!"

TO ATTEND NATIONAL MEETING

Mr. J. O. Hinton, Accompanied by Mrs. Hinton, Is Going to Cincinnati.

Mr. J. O. Hinton, manager of the City Laundry, accompanied by Mrs. Hinton, will leave this morning for Cincinati, Ohio, to attend the thirty-third annual convention of the Laundryman's National association of America. He will be out of the city for several days.

One of the important matters to be considered at the convention will be that of inferior dyes as effecting the laundry business. Since the beginning of the European war the scarcity of dyes has made a serious problem for all interested in the manufacture of cloth goods and the laundrymen claim that the use of inferior dyes has caused many of the goods to deteriote more rapidly than usual with the result that the laundries frequently get the blame for the failure of goods to last when as a matter of fact it is the fault of the dyes.

Mr. Hinton is a prominent member of the Carolina Laundrymen's association, which is affiliated with the National association, and at the annual convention of the former organization in Asheville last summer, Mr. Hinton's invitation to have the next meeting at Wrightsville Beach was accepted.

Two Republicans joined the Democratic ranks yesterday; who'll be the next convert?

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COTTON GOES TO 16 1-4

Quotation on Wilmington Market Makes Still Higher Season's Record.

Wilmington cotton yesterday was 16 1-4 cents. That breaks the former record for the season by one-eighth of a cent, the quotation for Friday and for several days previous being 16 1-8. Not only is it the highest level attained this season, but it is the highest known here for many years and possibly never before has the market held up so well under a high quotation. If press reports indicate anything the price bids fair to go to 20 cents for this year's crop. Dispatches last night said that farmers in certain parts of Texas were already storing their staple for this price.

Receipts here yesterday were 738 bales, making a total for the season of 37,204. Receipts on the same date last year were 2,237 bales, or 64,810 for the season, with the quotation at 11 1-4 cents. These figures are not altogether authentic.

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Cheap substitutes cost YOU same price.

READY-TO-WEAR SALE FOR SATURDAY

Clothing Section

Price $12.50 Suits

Style and all around good appearance won the young man. He liked the price, too. Results: He brags about the idea to his Dad. Now we have two in one family boosting our **$12.50** suits.

$2.50 and $3.50 Price

SHOE SECTION

We are offering the latest styles in our Fairmont **$2.50** and Belk's Special **$3.50** Men's Shoes for Saturday Sale.

Price $12.50 Suits

LADIES COAT SUIT SECTION

Our all wool Poplin Suits made of beautiful quality. This famous guaranteed medium priced Ladies' Tailored Suit, **$12.50.**

Price $3.95 Hats

MILLINERY SECTION

We have on display a complete line of all colors in Velvet Hats, **$3.95.**

Belk-Williams Comp'y

SOCIAL

Mrs. W. D. Croom and Miss Maggie Murphy, of Burgaw, spent yesterday in the city, shopping.

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Mrs. R. W. Pridgen leaves tomorrow morning for Charlotte, where she will spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones have returned to their home in this city, after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Land, of Tampa, Fla.

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Mrs. Robert F. Campbell and children have gone for a visit to friends and relatives in Arizona. They expect to be away for several weeks.

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Miss Annie Love Phelps, a popular member of the sales force of J. H. Rehder & Co., went to Atkinson yesterday to conduct the fall millinery opening for Mr. W. H. Lewis.

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Mrs. H. W. Stovall, of Fort McKinley, Maine, has returned home after spending several weeks here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbett.

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Yesterday's Norfolk Virginian-Pilot: "Mrs. Louise Wright, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alan Emerson, in the Holland Apartments, has left for her home in Wilmington."

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Mrs. T. I. Morton has left for Richmond, Va., where she will spend several weeks with relatives. Mrs. Morton will be joined at Richmond by her daughter, Miss Blanche Morton, who has been visiting in Virginia for some time.

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Wilson, N. C., Oct. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rawlings announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Porter, to Mr. William Anthony White, son of Dr. and Mrs. Leonard White, of Statesville. The wedding will take place some time in November.

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A. P. Burgwin, Esq., assistant general counsel of the Pennsylvania railroad, who is a brother of Kenneth Burgwin, Esq., of this city, and Mrs. Burgwin, of Pittsburgh, Pa., have arrived in Wilmington and will spend the winter at No. 120 South Third street. Mr. Burgwin's health has not been so good of late and he has come to this city to spend some time recuperating.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The quarterly meeting of the board of directors of the Associated Charities will be held in the office of the association on Monday, October 9th, at 11 o'clock.

—Rev. J. S. Crowley will preach in the Presbyterian church at Hallsboro Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend. Rev. Mr. Crowley recently accepted the pastorship of this church.

—Friends of Mr. W. P. McGlaughon, formerly associated with Mr. W. M. Cumming in the real estate business, will learn with interest that Mr. McGlaughon is now connected with the Sterchi-Bancroft Company, of this city.

—Fishermen at Wrightsville Beach angling from the Seashore Hotel pier made some excellent catches yesterday afternoon. Mr. George Hutaff landed a 30-pound drum, while Mr. C. W. Clark caught about 10 drum, weighing from two to 10 pounds. Mr. Gilmer May, among others, made a fine catch of blue fish.

—In response to many requests received during the week, Mr. Joe Vilim, violin-leader of the Victoria Orchestra, announces that he will repeat the overture "Souvenir," by Drdhr, which he presented at the recital at the Academy of Music last Monday evening, tonight immediately following the close of the first evening performance.

Annual Meeting.

For the convenience of those who desire to attend the annual meeting of the Cape Fear Country Club, which will be held Monday night, a special car will leave Front and Princess streets for the clubhouse at 5:15 o'clock. Arrangements have also been made for a special car to bring the members back to the city after the meeting is over.

Change in Train Schedule

Suburban line, Monday, October 9th. See official schedule elsewhere in today's paper.—advt.

AUTHORIZE BUYING OF TRUCK

County Commissioners to Purchase Additional Equipment For Road Force—July Is Drawn.

The purchase of a nadditional truck for the use of the road forces of New Hanover was authorized by the Board of County Commissioners at a special session yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and Chairman W. A. McGirt and County Auditor J. A. Orrell were instructed to undertake negotiations at once. The proposed truck will cost probably about $5,000.

The county already has two trucks for the use of the road forces, although one of these is a light one and is engaged for a part of the time in carrying the convicts to their work.

Register of Deeds John Haar was authorized by the board to continue to close his office at 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoon during the winter months, although the office will stay open on other days until 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

A jury for the criminal term of Superior court, which convenes on November 13th, was drawn as follows: Messrs. G. J. Simon, E. V. H. Peschau, Ernest J. Bush, E. L. White, C. W. Watkins, George O. Wolf, Roy Fonvielle, L. Stein, John L. Roderick, W. R. Peterson, S. W. Ketcham, Jordan Branch, F. W. Davis, H. G. James, H. L. Darden, George S. Nevins, J. D. Orrell, Jr., W. R. Taylor, William Eillinson, William Higgins, A. H. Williams, Thos. E. Applewhite, J. D. Vann, H. Bluethenthal, W. W. Smithson, Arthur Samuel, W. R. Nye, George Schnibben, W. M. Harriss, G. A. P. Bowman, M. C. Kreeger, C. F. Nurnberger, Joseph Schad, W. R. Hartsfield, T. Y. Morris and H. L. Prince.

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Chaplin's Greatest Comedy.

"One A. M." at the Grand today. (Advertisement).

NEW PLAN OF DISCIPLINE

System of Demerits Abolished at High School and Afternoon School Will Be Substituted.

No more demerits will be given students of the Wilmington High School, who fail to observe the rules and regulations, but transgressors will be accorded the treatment that was prevalent in the "good old days" when unruly pupils had to "stay in." However, Wilmington students will have an opportunity to get their dinners, as the afternoon session, lasting an hour and a half, will open at 3:30 p. m., giving an intermission of an hour and a half.

This new policy, which has been approved by the school committee, Supt. John J. Blair and the members of the High School faculty, was suggested by Principal Malcolm Little and was announced at the formal opening of the High School yesterday morning. The opening was attended by a number of visitors, including Mr. J. Allan Taylor, chairman of the joint school committee, and Mr. W. E. Perdew, a member of the committee; Mrs. T. Adelaide Goodno, of Raleigh, president of the State W. C. T. U.; Mr. Odis B. Hinnant, city boys' work secretary, and many parents and former students of the school.

After the singing of a hymn by the school, led by the High School choir, under the direction of Miss Warren, an invocation was made by Mr. Hinnant.

Supt. Blair made a fine address on the choice of a career, pointing out the many opportunities that young people have today for entering other occupations besides those usually known as professional such as law and medicine. He explained that new courses had been added to the High School curriculum with the idea of enabling its students to be prepared for some of these occupations.

After the announcement of the new plan of discipline for the school, Mr. J. Allan Taylor made a brief address in which he spoke with approval of the suggestions that had been made and told of the interest that the people of the city have in the school. He was indeed glad to see the progress that is being made and congratulated both pupils and teachers.

Mr. Little explained that while the number of studies for each student has been reduced from five to four that this has been done more with a view to doing more thorough work than to do more work in each subject. By having five lessons a week in each subject instead of four, as formerly, it is believed that a higher standard can be maintained.

Mr. Little further explained that the system of demerits, formerly in use, had been abolished and instead the holding of an afternoon school substituted, this action being with the approval of the school committee.

Any pupil breaking an administrative or class room rule, he stated, will be required to report at the afternoon school for a period of not exceeding one and a half hours. The afternoon school will begin at 3:30 and close at 5.

The department grade will be determined at the end of the month by subtracting three from a hundred for each afternoon period. However, a less number of points may be placed as a penalty provided it is approved by a vote of the teachers at a regular meeting.

Any student having to attend five sessions of the afternoon school will be suspended, so that a grade of 85 in deportment means failure and will appear on the report card that way.

Any student showing repeated unpreparedness in his work will be required to report at the afternoon session in order to make up his work.

Mr. Little made it very clear that the school is to be a place for work and not for play as neither the city of Wilmington nor the parents could afford to maintain a place for loafing purposes. In order to make the school work efficient, it is necessary to have system and order, he stated, and it is, therefore, imperative that there be no interruptions, so that an interruption without an excuse is a breach of discipline.

No student will be allowed to play on any athletic team, he stated, who has failed to make a passing grade in any subject he is taking and the teachers will be required to make weekly reports on the grades or all members of athletics teams.

Mr. Little also announced that a literary and a dramatic society will be organized. While in the past the school has had debates and has also given plays, this work has been done by the English department. It is now proposed to have societies for encouraging public speaking and it is planned to have a number of debates with other schools. The publication of Tileston Topics will be continued and this will afford students an opportunity to undertake literary work.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Station-master J. E. Clayton left last night for Richmond and New York, where he will spend his ten-day vacation.

—Mr. Henry C. McQueen, president of the Murchison National Bank, left last night on a short business trip to Washington, D. C.

—Mr. Clayton King has gone to Indiana, where he will enter the Tri-State College as a student in the civil engineering department.

—Col. Walker Taylor, collector of customs, left last night on the 6:45 Coast Line train for Washington, D. C., on business connected with his duties here as collector.

—Mr. William R. Hudler, dispatcher for the A. C. L. Railroad, left last night for New York on his vacation. While away he will attend the world series games which are played at Brooklyn.

—United States District Attorney J. O. Carr left last night for Washington, D. C., on official business. While in Washington he will call on Attorney General Gregory and other officials of the Department of Justice.

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TO OBSERVE UNIVERSITY DAY

New Hanover Alumni Association to Join in Celebrating Anniversary on October the 12th.

District Attorney J. O. Carr, who is president of the New Hanover Alumni Association of the University of North Carolina, sent out letters to the members yesterday calling attention to the fact that October 12th is the one hundred and twenty-second birthday of this institution and suggesting that a suitable celebration be held either on that day or as near that time as practicable.

The New Hanover Alumni Association is one of the largest county organizations in the State as the University has always received a large patronage from this section. Members of the alumni have received from the alumni committee of the University letters reading as follows:

"Fellow Alumni:

"Thursday, October 12th, is the next great day on the calendar of the University. It marks her one hundred and twenty-second birthday, and promises to be the happiest and most widely celebrated in her history. It is the end of her most successful year, and the beginning of a new year on which she enters with confidence, enthusiasm, and even surer prospects of rapid and genuine progress.

"During the coming year the policies undertaken in recent years will be vigorously continued. We know we cannot succeed in making the University the truly great institution we want it to be without your full understanding, active sympathy and co-operation. The alumni committee hopes, therefore, that you will arrange a local alumni meeting for Wednesday night, October 11th, or Thursday night, October 12th, to talk over the affairs of the University ,and how its work can be helped locally and in the State and Nation. We suggest that some alumnus be asked to prepare a statement of the work of the University, its growth and future progress, followed by a discussion of the ways in which it might be helped, the adoption of a definite plan for helping, and the appointment of a University Welfare Committee for the county, to carry out these plans throughout the year and to perfect relations between the University and the locality.

"This is a critical year in the history of the University. If it is to play the big part in the immediate future development of the State that it ought to play, it must have the interest and sympathetic understanding of the whole people; it must have means to respond in growing strength to the demands made upon it; and to get that, it must have the continuous and practical support of the devoted men who make up its alumni.

"The Summer School numbered a thousand and fifty; the post-graduate course a hundred and eighty-five; the new session has registered eleven hundred and fifty. In addition, the extension activities have had a wonderful growth. Intensively and extensively, the University feels the thrilling sense of vitality and deeply rooted achievement. We want every alumnus to have a part in that. Every alumnus is an organic part of it, and none of its larger purposes can be realized unless each alumnus actively participates in its life.

"Wherever two or three alumni can get together, hold a meeting and talk over the situation in your community; and let each individual alumnus on this University Day consider how he may make some contribution to the welfare of our Alma Mater.

"To all of her sons, where they may be, the University sends her affectionate greeting and her heartfelt God speed!

"W. S. BERNARD, '00,
"T. J. WILSON, JR., '94,
"E. R. RANKIN, '13,
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BIBLE CLASS OF FIRST CHURCH PLANS BARBECUE AT GREENFIELD

Brotherhood Organization Elects Officers for Ensuing Year.

The annual meeting of the Brotherhood Bible Class of the First Presbyterian church held Thursday night at the church was featured by the formulation of plans for the holding of a big barbecue at Greenfield Lake, Friday night, October 20th, and the election of officers for the new year.

The meeting was presided over by President A. B. Croom, Jr., and in addition to making the plans for the barbecue, the class decided that it should make every effort to secure a big attendance for Rally Day at the Sunday school tomorrow. The class expects 100 young men present at the session of Sunday school.

The following officers wer selected: President, R. W. Dunn; first vice-president, W. J. Craig; second vice-president, Philip Heinsberger, Jr., secretary, L. S. Everett; assistant secretary, F. A. Thompson; treasurer, R. H. Bullock; assistant treasurer, J. F. Roache.

Mr. E. B. Johnson was unanimously re-elected teacher of the class.

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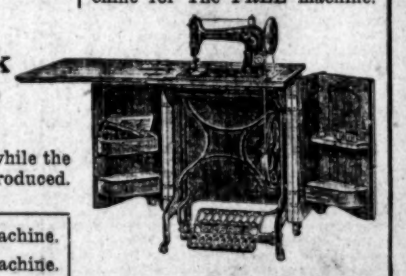

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON PRICES UNSETTLED

Market Continues Active, But With Fluctuations Narrow and Unsettled—Spot Price is 17.00

New York, Oct 6.—The cotton market showed continued activity today, but fluctuations were nervous and irregular. After an early decline to 16.03 December rallied to 17.15 and closed at 17.07. The general list closed unsettled, one point higher to 12 points lower. January and later deliveries showed net losses of 3 to 12 points.

The opening was barely steady at an advance of six points on October, but generally six to 16 points lower and active deliveries sold 12 to 15 points under last night's closing figures during the first few minutes. Offerings appeared to be very readily taken on the decline which carried January off to 16.93 and March to 17.10 or about 30 points under the high levels of yesterday morning, nowever, and the market soon steadied.

Trade interests were credited with buying a good deal of cotton, particularly December and the rally was helped by a small supply of cotton in local warehouses and apprehensions that the embargoes on coastwise shipments from Galveston and New Orleans might restrict the movement in this direction. After showing net advances of about six to nine points with January selling at 17.18 and March to 17.32, the market weakened under a renewal of heavy realising, and there were rather sharp reactions in the late trading. The weakness of the stock market attributed to the circulation of peace rumors may possibly have accounted for some of the active Wall Street selling, which carried January off to 16.97 at the close, or about 16 points from the high level of the morning.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	16.90	16.90	16.69	16.82
Dec.	17.01	17.15	16.93	17.07
Jan.	17.05	17.13	16.93	16.98
March	17.14	17.32	17.10	17.14
May	17.28	17.47	17.26	17.28

Spot quiet; middling uplands 17.00; no sales.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling 16.19; receipts 10,137; sales 4,680; stock 200,154.

Galveston—Middling 16.35; receipts 22,506; exports 15,478; sales 4,513; stock 293,858.

Mobile—Middling 16.50; receipts 423; exports 400; sales 35; stock 12,368.

Savannah—Middling 16.50; receipts 9,472; sales 3,980; stock 175 654.

Charleston—Middling 16¾; reecipts 1,653; stock 52,642.

Wilmington—Middling 16.25; receipts 738; stock 42,056.

Texas City—Receipts 2,695.

Norfolk—Middling 16.50; receipts 8,-131; sales 1,200; stock 44,702.

Baltimore—Receipts 60; exports 1,-610; stock 3,060.

Boston—Middling 16.95; receipts 159; stock 4,924.

Philadelphia—Middling 17.25; receipts 108; stock 3,964.

New York—Middling 17.00; receipts 115; exports 12,661; stock 73,804.

Minor Ports—Receipts 4,112; stock 40,837.

Total today—Receipts 58,339; exports 30,149; stock 948,054.

Total for week—Receipts 338 074; exports 186,651.

Total for season—Receipts 1,303,869; exports 1,000,653.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling 16.25; receipts 18,-061; shipments 15,773; sales 10,705; stock 182,900.

Memphis—Middling 16.50; receipts 11,331; shipments 4,762; sales 4,500; stock 136,291.

Augusta—Middling 16.33; receipts 3,-393; shipments 3,263; sales 1,199; stock 110,497.

St. Louis—Receipts 7,329; shipments 6 115; stock 8,745.

Cincinnati—Receipts 190; shipments 692; stock 13,319.

Little Rock—Middling 16.25; receipts 2,221; shipments 1,055; sales 1,055; stock 36,112.

Dallas—Middling 15.70; sales 9,987.

Montgomery—Middling 16.38; sales 114.

Total today—Receipts 42,525; shipments 31,660; stock 487,864.

HESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT.

Comparisons are to actual dates, not to close of corresponding weeks. In thousands bales:

In sight for week, 563.

In sight same seven days last year, 464.

In sight for the month, 473.

In sight same date last year, 379.

In sight for the season, 2,596.

In sight same date last year, 2,017.

Port receipts for season, 1,603.

Port receipts same date last year 1,269.

Overland to mills and Canada for season, 93.

Overland same date last year, 64.

Southern mill takings for season, 530.

Southern mill takings same date last year, 447.

Interior stocks in excess of August 1st, 370.

Interior stocks alst year, 237.

Foreign exports for week, 187.

Foreign exports same seven days last year, 193.

Foreign exports for season, 1,001.

Foreign exports same date last year, 724.

Northern spinners' takings and Canada for week, 62.

Northern spinners' takings same seven days last year, 80.

Northern spinners' takings for season 264.

Northern spinners' takings to same date last year, 271.

Statement of World's Visible Supply:

Total visible this week, 3,490.

Total visible last week, 3,326.

Total visible same date last year, 4 - 474.

Of this the total American this week, 2,776.

Total American last week, 2,509.

Total American last year, 3,313.

All other kinds this week, 715.

All other kinds last week, 727.

All other kinds last year, 1,161.

Visible in the United States this week 1,622.

Visible in the United States this date last year, 1,768.

Visible in other countries this week, 1,852.

Visible in other countries this date last year, 2,706.

WEEK'S REVIEW IN COTTON

Market Extremely Active With Prices Making New High Levels for Season on Excited Buying.

New York, Oct. 6.—The cotton market has been extremely atcive during the past week with prices making new high record for the season on excited general buying. The demand was evidently stimulate by government reports which were published on Monday. Much of the trading toward the end of last month was attributed to evening up accounts for over the official crop figures, owing partly to uncertainty as to their showing and partly to an idea that heavy ginning returns might make a better buying basis.

The amount of cotton reported ginned prior to September 25 was the largest on record, but private reports had indicated even bigger figures and it looked as if people who had been waiting to buy on a decline following the publication of ginning returns came in the market on the advance which preceded the official crop figures. There had been doubt as to whether October bureaus would show a reduced crop prospect as some of the private reports had indicated comparatively slight deterioration during September, but the condition of 56.3 was the lowest on record and led to a scaling down of the official crop indication to 11,627,000 bales. This naturally increased excitement and before the close on Monday, prices had advanced nearly a cent a pound. Reactions of 30 to 40 points followed as a result of realizing, but bullish sentiment appeared to find encouragement in the relatively firm ruling of Liverpool, the continued activity of the domestic goods trade and the failure of Southern hedge selling to become generally active. There was also some apprehension of a cold wave in the Southwest and the best prices of the season were reached yesterday morning when January contracts sold at 17.24 or $10.75 per bale above the low level reached on the reaction of last month.

Trade interests have been credited with buying very freely to fix prices or against forward requirements, while the increased activity of commission houses was regarded as reflecting a broader outside interest. The strength in the market for Egyptian cotton has been reported a factor on advances in American at Liverpool. Reports of embargoes on coastwise shipments from New Orleans and Galveston seemed partly responsible for the relative strength of December here, but the market was somewhat unsettled today by a renewal of heavy realizing and talk of increased Southern hedging.

MARINE.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,283 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—42¼c.

ROSIN—$5.45, $5.30.

TAR—$2.60-10½.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$4.00, $4.00, $3.00.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 37½c; rosin, $3.00 and $3.05; tar, $1.50-7c; crude turpentine, $3.00.

RECEIPTS:

Spirits Turpentine	1
Rosin	38
Tar	58
Crude Turpentine	2

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 2 casks; rosin, 5 barrels; tar, 12 barrels; crude turpentine, 7 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—16¼c; quotations same day last year, 11¼c.

Receipts—738 bales; same day last year 2,237 bales.

Total receipts since August 1 to date, 37,204 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 64,310 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Oct. 6, 1916.

Atlantic Coast Line—644 bales cotton; 9 barrels rosin; 23 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—94 bales cotton.

Str. Thelma—1 cask spirits turpentine; 29 barrels rosin; 35 barrels tar.

Total—738 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 38 barrels rosin; 58 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 6.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 60c. to 65c. bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.15 to $1.25.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 10c.

PORK—Small, 10c. to 12c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 26c to 28c.; first class washed wool, 25c. to 28c.; highest grade, washed wool, 38c.

SHEEP—Old, good quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.

HIDES—Green salt, 15c.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 22c to 23c.; sides and shoulders, 18c. to 19c. per lb.; good demand.

BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 35c. head.

EGGS—28c. to 30c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Oct. 6.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 56c.; No. 1 machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Market weaker; No. 1, small, machine picked, 65c.; Jumbos, 60c. per bushel.

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STOCKS UNDER DEPRESSION

Credence Given Rumors of Renewed Peace Negotiations—First of the Session Very Active.

New York, Oct. 6.—Rumors of a renewal of peace negotiations which seemed to receive credence in high financial quarters, depressed prices in the stock market's later dealings today, after much previous uncertainty and hesitation. Values declined two, three and even five points from top levels of the forenoon, the selling being the most precipitate of any recent session, with some nominal rallies at the close.

Prior to the final period, the list had shown numerous cross currents, former leadings losing some ground with greater activity in minor rails, the sugar group, Central Leather and American Hide and Leather, preferred, Fertilizers and Chemicals, Zinc shares and Rubber stocks. More than 250 stocks were traded in during the first half hour.

Extreme gains in secondary rails and some of the specialties referred to ranged from two to four points with Denver and Rio Grande, preferred, Western Maryland preferred, Chicago and Alton, Chicago, Great Westerns, Wabash and Kansas City Southern preferred, the most conspicuous features.

New maximums were supplied by Central Leather at 83 3-4 and American Beet at par, but other stocks of that class and some of the utilities attained highest quotations of the past year, only to be sacrificed in the sweep of the last hour.

Bonds were mostly strong, but eased with stocks toward the end. Total sales, par value, $6,625,000.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers	26
American Beet Sugar	97¼
American Can	63¾
American Car & Foundry	68¾
American Cotton Oil	55½
American Locomotive	80¼
American Smelting	111
American Sugar	113⅜
American Tel. & Tel.	133¼
American Tobacco	221½
American Zinc	48
Anaconda Copper	95½
Atchison	106⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	120
Baldwin Locomotive	87⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	89
Bethlehem Steel	549½
Canadian Pacific	180
Central Leather	80¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	87½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	96½
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry.	19⅝
Consolidated Gas	139¼
Corn Products	16¾
Crucible Steel	91½
Erie	39½
General Electric	180
Great Northern pfd	119
Great Northern Ore ctfs	44
Goodrich	74½
Illinois Central	107⅞
Int. Mer. Marine pfd ctfs	118⅝
Kansas City Southern	27⅝
Lehigh Valley	84½
Louisville & Nashville	139
Liggett & Myers	270
Lorillard Co.	200
Maxwell Motors	92
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	14½
Missouri Pacific	5⅝
Mexican Petroleum	110½
National Lead	70¼
New York Central	111⅛
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	60½
Norfolk & Western	141¼
Northern Pacific	113¾
Pennsylvania	58½
Reading	111⅛
Republic Iron & Steel	78½
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line pfd	40
Sloss Shef. Steel & Iron	62¾
Studebaker Corporation	134⅝
Southern Pacific	101⅝
Southern Railway	26
Southern Railway pfd	69½
Tennessee Copper	23½
Texas Company	221⅝
Texas & Pacific	14¼
Union Pacific	149⅝
United Fruit	161½
United States Rubber	60⅝
United States Steel	115⅝
United States Steel pfd	120⅝
Utah Copper	95¼
Virginia Caro. Chem.	44
Va. Iron, Coal & Coke	46
Wabash pfd "B"	30⅝
Western Union	100⅝
Westinghouse Electric	64⅛
Kennecott Copper	54¾
American Zinc pfd	78
Gulf States Steel	95½
Gulf States Steel 1st pfd	96½

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va. Oct. 6.—Spanish—Market steady, $1 per bu.

Virginia—Farmers' Stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3½c. per lb.; Fancy Handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Prime, 2¾c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2¾c. to 2¼c. per lb.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 6.—After an easier start cotton seed oil advanced sharply into new high ground on active short covering and broad outside speculative buying on talk of peace rumors, strong crude situation, and improved demand from trade interests. Final prices were 1 to 14 points net higher. Sales 53,000 barrels.

Close strong. Spot 11.10 bid; October 11.10 to 11.25; November 10.86 to 10.90; December 10.72 to 10.74; January 10.72 to 10.73; February 10.80 to 10.85; March 10.84 to 10.85; April 10.95 to 10.98; May 10.98 to 10.99.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Oct. 6.—Beeves firm; steers 7.70 to 9.65; bulls 5.25 to 6.25; cows 3.25 to 6.25.

Calves—Firm; veals 9.00 to 14.50; culls 7.00 to 8.50; western calves 5.62½; grassers 5.00 to 6.00; yearlings 4.50 to 5.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Firm; sheep 4.50 to 7.50; culls 3.00 to 4.00; lambs 9.00 to 11.10; culls 7.00 to 8.50.

Hogs—Steady; medium to heavy 9.75 to 9.55; rough 8.85.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES

Savannah, Oct. 6.—Turpentine firm, 43 to 43¾; sales 167; receipts 263; shipments 16; stock 23,247.

Rosin—Firm; sales 1,281; receipts 1,-[illegible]ents 1; stock 87,011. Quote: [illegible], 6.00; F G, 6.20; H I K M N, 6.40; WW, 6.50.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 7 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 70 degrees; at 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 75 degrees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 71 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.31 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. yesterday, 3.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina: Fair Saturday and Sunday.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 7, 1916.

Sun rises	6:11 A. M.
Sun sets	5:48 P. M.
Day's length	11 hrs. 37 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	6:10	6:48	1:12	1:30
Southport	3:59	4:33	10:20	10:57
Masonboro Inlet	3:48	4:23	10:00	10:37

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

October 6, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	clear	84	52	.0
Asheville	clear	80	56	.0
Atlanta	clear	80	62	.0
Augusta	pt cldy	78	66	.0
Baltimore	clear	82	..	.0
Birmham	pt cldy	88	66	.0
Charleston	rain	76	68	.0
Charlotte	clear	78	60	.0
Chicago	clear	58	56	.0
Jaxville	cldy	74	70	2.74
Memphis	clear	86	66	.0
N. Orleans	pt cldy	84	70	.01
New York	clear	76	58	.0
Oklahoma	clear	88	54	.0
Palestine	clear	86	64	.0
Raleigh	clear	76	64	.0
Savannah	cldy	78	70	.01
Shreveport	clear	88	62	.0
St. Louis	clear	82	60	.0
Washington	clear	82	60	.0

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Trading Marked by Nervous Fluctuations Within Narrow Limits.

New Orleans, Oct. 6.—Nervous fluctuations within moderate limits marked trading in cotton today. The upward movement was hampered by realizing while on the downward swings, fresh buying prevented wide breaks. Late in the day peace rumors, apparently without foundation, ran the most active months down about 10 points. Usually peace talk has the opposite effect.

In the early trading prices lost 10 to 11 points in the face of good cables, because frost predictions for the northwestern portion of the belt did not materialize.

At the decline, the demand increased an dthe market was further stimulated by reports of lower freight rates out of Galveston and telegrams telling of the beginning of a holding movement among Texas farmers who were looking for 20-cent cotton. At the highest levels in the early afternoon prices were 8 to 13 points over yesterday's last prices. The close was steady two points up to the three points down net. Closing bid: October, 16.32; December, 16.51; January, 16.61; March, 16.83; May, 17.04.

Spot cotton steady, six points up. Sales on the spot 1,045; to arrive 3,-615; middling 16.19.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Rumors of Peace and of Argentine Crop Cause Loss in Wheat.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Peace rumors and bearish advices regarding the Argentine crop outlook resulted today in a series of downward swings in the value of wheat. The market closed heavy, 2¼ to 5⅝c net lower with December at 1.57⅝ to 1.57⅞ and May at 1.57¼ to 1.57⅝. Corn finished ¾ to 1⅛c off and oats down ⅛ to ¼@¼. Provisions scored gains ranging all the way from a shade to 85@87.

Grain and Provisions closed:

Wheat—December 1.57⅝; May 1.57¼.

Corn—December 76¼@¾ May 78.

Oats—December 49¼; May 52⅛.

Pork—December 23.75; January 23.25.

Lard—Dtcember 13.87; January 12.40.

Ribs—October 14.07; January 12.45.

Cash Grain:

Wheat—No. 2 red 1.61 to 1.62; No. 3 red 1.57¾ to 1.59½; No. 2 hard nominal; No. 3 hard 1.61¼ to 1.62½.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 89¼ to 90; No. 4 yellow 88 to 88½; No. 4 white 88.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW

New York, Oct. 6.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Quick time continues the marching order in practically every line of endeavor, with new and higher levels being attained, to the tune, however, of soaring prices, penalties, by the way, of super-abundant prosperity in the face of short crops or straited supplies of raw material. The cry is that there are not enough cars to haul commodities, that there is not enough labor to hasten production, and there are not enough goods to supply insistent demands.

"Wants, apparently, are insatiable, current demand being for present needs for winter, for the holidays, and for next spring. Consequently current reports merely accentuate those regarding past activity and it is evident that jobbing trade, mail order business and distribution by retail dealers is of record proportons.

"Weekly bank clearings, $6,162,005,-000."

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 6.—Amoskeag Tickings of all grades were advanced a full cent a yard today to a basis of 17¼ cents for 8-ounce standards. All cotton goods were firm with a rising tendency. Yarns also were firmm with buying confined to spot lots and nearby deliveries. Silks were steady.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Oct. 6.—Spot cotton steady; good middling 10.07; middling 9.93; low middling 9.77. Sales 6,000 bales; 600 for speculatiop and export; receipts 4,100.

Futures irregular. October 9.80½; October and November 9.79; November and December 9.76½; December and January 9.79; January and February 9.80½; February and March 9.82½; March and April 9.84½; April and May 9.85¼; May and June 9.86½; June and July 9.84¼; July and August 9.83; August and September 9.66½.

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Steamship Onondaga, Fri., Oct. 6th
Wilmington to New York.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE
Effective September 5, 1916.

Lv. Wilmington	Leave Beach.
! 6.25 A. M.	! 6.05 A. M.
	* 6.40 "
6.55 "	! 7.10 "
! 7.25 "	7.40 "
! 8.00 "	! 8.15 "
8.30 "	! 8.45 "
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11.15 "	10.50 "
12.10 A. M.	11.50 "

! Daily, except Sunday. * Sunday only.
x Saturdays only

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.
DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS
Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts. 9:30 A. M., 3:30 P. M.
Lv. Beach, 12:15 P. M., 5:15 P. M.
Freight Office Open from 8:00 A. M. to 9:30 A. M. and from 3:00 P. M. to 5:30 P. M.
SUNDAYS
Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts., 11:00 A. M.
Lv. Beach, 12:45 P. M.
Freight Office Open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Section 4323, Revisal of 1905, Vols. 1 and 2, as amended by Public Laws of 1907-1915, provides that the Registration Books in New Hanover County be opened for the General Election of November 7th, 1916, on Thursday, October 5th, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M., and sunset and on each day (Sunday excepted) for twenty (20) days, to and including October 28th, 1916.

On each Saturday during the period of registration the registrar will attend with his registration books at the polling place of his precinct, or ward, for the registration of voters.

C. W. WOODWARD,
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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Hogs strong, 20 to 25 above yesterday's average; bulk 9.35 to 9.85; light 9.10 to 10.00; mixed 9.00 to 10.05; heavy 8.90 to 10.05; rough 8.90 to 9.15; pigs 6.75 to 9.25.

Cattle—Steady; native beef cattle 6.60 to 11.35; Western steers 6.15 to 9.40; stockers and feeders 4.75 to 7.75; cows and heifers 3.50 to 9.40; calves 8.00 to 12.50.

Sheep—Firm; weather 6.60 to 8.35; ewes 3.65 to 7.60; lambs 7.00 to 10.30.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 6.—Mercantile paper 3½; sterling, 60 day bills 4.71½; demand 4.75 11-16; cables 4.76 7-16. Bar silver 68¾; Mexican dollars 52½. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds strong. Time loans firm; 60 and 90 days 3 to 3¼; six months 3¼ to 3½. Call money steady, ruling rate 2½.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, Oct. 6.—Sugar, raw steady; centrifugal 6.02; molasses 5.12; refined steady.

Butter—Barely steady.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spoit quiet; Rio 7s, 9½; Santos 4s, 11¼.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective Sept. 11, 1916. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 8:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 51 5:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50 12:20 A.M. Daily.
No. 64 5:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48 8:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains saving Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:05 P.M.
No. 52 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52 8:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 3:25 P.M. Daily	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:50 P.M. Daily
No. 85 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars daily between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 84 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT OCTOBER 9, 1916.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach

AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS.

EASTBOUND. Leave Electric Center for Winter Park	Leave Electric Center for Wrightsville	Leave Electric Center for Beach	WESTBOUND: Leave Winter Park for Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington.
....	....	....	* 6:26 A.M.	* 6:15 A.M.	....
* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 7:31 A.M.	* 7:20 A.M.	....
6:50 A.M.	6:50 A.M.	? 6:50 A.M.	8:01 A.M.	7:50 A.M.	7:40 A.M.
* 8:00 A.M.	* 8:00 A.M.	....	* 8:41 A.M.	* 8:30 A.M.	....
8:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.	8:30 A.M.	9:36 A.M.	9:25 A.M.	9:15 A.M.
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10:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.	11:06 A.M.	10:55 A.M.	10:45 A.M.
11:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	11:30 A.M.	12:36 P.M.	12:25 P.M.	12:15 P.M.
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6:10 P.M.	6:10 P.M.	....	6:51 P.M.	6:40 P.M.	....
6:40 P.M.	6:40 P.M.	x 6:40 P.M.	7:31 P.M.	7:20 P.M.	x 7:15 P.M.
7:15 P.M.	7:15 P.M.	....	8:06 P.M.	7:55 P.M.	....
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11:15 P.M.	11:15 P.M.	11:15 P.M.	12:21 A.M.	12:10 A.M.	12:00 M.

SPECIALS FOR SUNDAYS

Leave Front and Princess streets every half hour from 2:00 to 5:00 P.M.
Leave Beach every half hour from 2:45 to 5:45 P.M.

* Daily except Sundays. ? Sundays only.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has qualified as administrator c. t. a. of the Will of Mrs. Jane P. Savage, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to exhibit the same to me on or before the second day of September, A. D., 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar thereof. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make immediate payment.

WALTER L. PARSLEY,
Administrator c. t. a.

This 2nd day of September, 1916.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South. Effective May 28th, 1916.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:

No. 13—3:55 P. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR, WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M., for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Agent, Orton Building. 'Phone 178.

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MILK SHORTAGE MORE SERIOUS IN NEW YORK

Less Than 40 Per Cent Normal Supply Received Yesterday

Officials Who Have Taken Hand in Controversy Between Dairymen and Farmers Hope For an Early Settlement.

New York, Oct. 6.—Although there appeared to be no definite basis for such a report, officials who have taken a hand in the controversy between the Dairymen's League and the milk distributors expressed confidence tonight that a settlement would be reached before next Tuesday. It was estimated that less than 40 per cent. of the normal milk supply reached the city today.

Both sides claimed they were standing firm on the contract question. The dealers have agreed to meet the producers' price, but for the month of October only, while the farmers insist upon a six months' contract.

Late today Supreme Court Justice Goff was asked to grant an order to show cause why representatives and members of the Dairymen's League should not be restrained from all acts of violence in connection with the controversy. The order was made returnable next Tuesday.

The investigation instituted by Attorney General Woodbury, which began today before William N. Dykman as referee, was adjourned until Tuesday at the request of First Deputy Attorney General Lewis.

The hearing, instituted by the attorney general after charges alleging conspiracy in restraint of trade had been filed with him, will furnish data upon which formal action against the parties at fault may be brought if the hearing discloses there is basis for such a step.

Two distinct charges against the Dairymen's League were preferred by the Sheffield farms, Slawson-Decker Milk Company and an Orange county cheese factory.

AGREE TO MEET DEMANDS OF THE DAIRYMEN'S LEAGUE

New York, Oct. 6.—Representatives of milk distributing companies handling virtually the entire supply of the city, except that dispensed by the Borden, Sheffield Farms and Mutual-McDermott companies, agreed at a conference late tonight to meet the demands of the Dairymen's League for an increase price and six months contracts, under certain conditions.

The proposed agreement would be predicated on the stipulation from the price to be paid without question for the months of October, November and December, but that for January, February and March the surplus milk they must take from the farmers be paid for on the basis of cheese and butter prices or as much as they can get for it, after turning it into butter and cheese.

LONDON PAPER DEFENDS ATTITUDE OF THIS COUNTRY

Says Entrance of U. S. Into War Would Have Created Great Problems.

London, Oct. 6.—The Weekly Nation in a long article warmly defending the attitude of the United States during the war and regretting that her "hints at mediation" have only met with cold neglect, says active intervention on the side of the Entente allies would have brought almost insoluble problems for the United States.

The newspaper declares, however, that the United States has shown its sympathy with the Entente allies in many ways, "especially in tolerance of our innovations of sea law and treatment of neutrals."

Agreeing that to dictate peace would bring no real settlement of the problems confronting humanity, the newspaper contends that the entry of the United States into a league of peace is the only means for insuring a balance of force on the side of law abiding nations.

"We shall be guilty of a crime against civilization," says the newspaper, "if, when the moment of settlement arrives, we refuse the aid of the only power which can bring a healing influence to the world."

COL. D. G. M'INTOSH DEAD.

Was Distinguished Maryland Lawyer and Famous Confederate Soldier.

Baltimore, Oct. 6.—Col. David Gregg McIntosh, one of the most distinguished lawyers of Maryland and a famous Confederate soldier, died suddenly this evening at his home at Towson, of acute indigestion.

He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Virginia Johnson Pegram daughter of Gen. James W. Pegram, of the Confederate army; by a son, David G. McIntosh, Jr., a member of the Maryland house of delegates, and one daughter, Mrs. William Waller Morton, of Richmond, Va.

Colonel McIntosh was born at Society Hill, S. C., in 1836. Both his paternal and maternal ancestors figured in the Revolutionary War.

MAXWELL 'JUGGLES' SOM EMORE FIGURES

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ing, representing the North Carolina Board of Dental Examiners, and by Dr. A. R. Tucker, osteopath, of Raleigh, on professional subjects. The society devoted much time in executive session considering revisions proposed in the constitution and by-laws of the society.

ASHEVILLE SUFFERS $300,000 FIRE LOSS.

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the most important industries of Western North Carolina. George A. Raymond(of New York, is president; Charles B. Rees, of Asheville, is vice-president and general manager; Harold B. Rees, of Asheville and New York, is secretary-treasurer; A. A. Minick is superintendent. The loss of the tannery is fully covered by insurance, it was stated at an early hour this morning.

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Remember '98, and register and vote the Democratic ticket.

RUMANIANS GIVEN DECISIVE DEFEAT IN TRANSYLVANIA

(Continued from Page One.)

lasted until well into the evening. Between Morval and Bouchavesnes in the afternoon strong French forces advanced to the attack. Troops under Generals Von Ermolli, and Von Carnier, after stubborn hand-to-hand fighting, sanguinarily repulsed an attack between Fregicourt and Bouchavesnes. Infantry regiments 155 and 156 especially distinguished themselves.

"South of the Ancre, the artillery at times was appreciably more active."

TRIBESMEN IN ISPAHAN UPRISE AGAINST RUSSIANS

Berlin, Oct. 6. (by wireless).—Ispahan, one of the important cities of central Persia, has been liberated from the Russian rule through an uprising of tribesmen in a holy war, says an official statement issued in Constantinople, October 4, dealing with the situation in Persia. A Russian army which attacked the Turks at Kinshar, northwest of Hamadin, it is added, was routed by the Turks.

TOO BUSY FIGHTING GERMANS TO HAVE BOUT WITH DILLON

Georges Carpentier Interviewed at the Front in France.

Aviation Headquarters Behind the French Front in France, Oct. 6.—Georges Carpentier, heavyweight champion of Europe, was interviewed today by special permission regarding an offer from fight promoters in America to meet "Jack" Dillon in New York.

"I had already refused 200,000 francs for two 20-round contestsin San Francisco early in 1915," said Carpentier. "I am too busy on the French battlefront to take up such a thing at the present time. When the war is over, I will be glad to visit my friends in the United States."

Regarding the report of a prospective match with Frank Moran, Carpentier said he had received no offer, and that the story was ridiculous and no big boxing matches will be allowed in Paris until after the end of hostilities.

Carpentier declared his willingness to meet Dilon when free to do so, and said he would be only too glad to take on Jess Willard subsequently in the United States or in Europe under championship conditons.

TO INCREASE PRICE OF WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS TO $2

Florida Publishers Also Agree to Raise Advertising Rates.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 6—The Florida state press association, meeting here today to consider ways and means to meet the increased cost of print paper, voted to increase, effective January 1, 1917, the price of weekly newspapers to $2 a year. It also voted to increase advertising rates, the amount of increase to be decided at tomorrow's meeting, which also will take up a proposal to finance a paper mill in this section, or make arrangements for getting paper through local means. The association is composed of both daily and weekly papers, but no action was taken regarding increase of suscription prices of the dailies, although the increase of advertising rates was expected to apply to dailies as well as weeklies.

NEGRO EQUAL RIGHTS LEAGUE DECLARES FOR CHAS. E. HUGHES

Resolution Urges That Lynching be Made Federal Offense.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Resolutions urging that lynching be made a Federal offense and that persons prosecuted for it be tried in another state from their own, were adopted today by the National Equal Rights League in a convention here attended by negro delegates from 25 states. Another resolution criticised President Wilson for permitting segregation of negro civil service employes and declared for Charles E. Hughes for President.

SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL SENATOR CLARKE'S VACANCY

Democrats and Republicans Elect Nominees in Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 6.—A special election to fill the vacancy in the United States Senate caused by the death of Jas. P. Clarke senior senator from Arkansas, was called late today for November 7, at the time of the general elections, by Governor Hays. The governor issued the election proclamation immediately following the nomination of candidate by both the Democratic and Republican state central committees.

NO AGREEMENT YET ON PLAN FOR PEACE ON MEXICAN BORDER

Further Consideration to Various Plans Given by Commission.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 6.—When the members of the Mexican-American joint commission finished their conference for the week today they were still unable to announce an agreement on any plan for border control. Secretary Lane, acting as spokesman for the others, said that aside from stating that the time had been taken in further consideration of the various suggested plans of border control nothing could be told of the commission's work.

EDITOR OF "THE ELK" DEAD.

L. Fred Williams Passes Away at Home in New York.

New York, October 6.—L. Fred Williams, editor and owner of publication known as The Elk, died at his home here today. He was formerly connected with newspapers in various parts of the country as editorial writer and had held several prominent offices in the Order of Elks.

Mr. Williams was born at Attica, N. Y., 46 years ago.

Springfield, Ills., Oct. 6.—Senator Sherman, of Illinois, nas been challenged to meet in public debate Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, whom Senator Sherman recently attacked in the Senate. The challenge was sent to Sherman on behalf of the Illinois Federation of Labor and the Chicago Federation of Labor.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Orton yesterday were: O. G. Dunn, New Bern; A. M. McLean, Lillington; E. F. Mallard, Shallotte.

Registration books now open; see if your name is written there.

Change in Train Schedule

Suburban line, Monday, October 9th. See official schedule elsewhere in today's paper.—advt.

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DEATH AT MAXTON

Mrs. Robert D. Croom Passes Away After Long Illness.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Maxton, N. C., Oct. 6.—Mrs. Robt. D. Croom, whose illness has extended over a period of several years, passed away at her home here Tuesday evening, surrounded by all the members of her family, who had been advised of her critical condition early in the week. She was the second daughter of Mr. John Allen McLean, who survives her. She leaves her husband and little boy of seven, two sisters, Miss Bessie McLean and Mrs. Gilbert Baldwin, of this place, and four brothers, Mr. Angus D. McLean, of Washington, N. C., Mr. Sylvester B. McLean, of Maxton, Mr. J. Dickson McLean of Red Springs, and Mr. John Allen McLean, Jr., of Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va. She was a woman of the highest Christion character and a devoted worker in the Presbyterian church of this place. Dr. Hill conducted the funeral on Wednesday afternoon and the interment was at Eastside cemetery.

HUGHES VISITS OLD HOME

Spends Hour in Newark, Where His Father Once Preached.

Montclair, N. J., Oct. 6.—Charles E. Hughes spent an hour this afternoon visiting his boyhood home in Newark, N. J., where his father was minister of a Baptist church from 1869 to 1874. The house in which the presidential nominee lived in his youth now is unoccupied.

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MECHANICS' HOME ASSOCIATION opens new series B and L. stock twice a year, July and January; and offers stock for sale in one series till the next series opens. 52 series have already been opened. "The Mechanics" is 27 years old, and it is strong. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, Secretary. Office, 208 Princess street. oc4-4t-w th,f,sa

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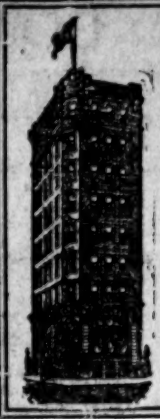

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